

IMPANELMENT OF RUEF JURY IS ORDERED BY JUDGE DUNNE

MRS. THAW'S STORY NOT TRUE, IS CHARGE

**Prosecutor Declares
Testimony of Wife
Is False; Seeks
to Prove to Court.**

NEW YORK, March 13.—There was but a short session today of the court trying Harry Thaw for the murder of Stanford White, adjournment being taken shortly after noon until tomorrow morning.

This action was taken partly to give Mr. Delmas an opportunity to consult the authorities and prepare an argument in reply to an impassioned appeal by District Attorney Jerome for the admission of testimony by Abraham Hummel in contradiction of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's evidence, and partly upon the statement of Mr. Jerome that if he were allowed the afternoon in which to complete the hypothetical question to be put to his experts he thought the State could close its case in rebuttal tomorrow night. He said he had been assured by Mr. Delmas that his cross-examination of the experts would not be long.

The matter of Hummel's testifying was still undecided. Mr. Jerome spoke for more than an hour today, contending that Hummel's testimony "is the most vital in the case."

"I will show that this woman swore under oath that she had been beaten by Thaw in Paris because she would not sign papers he had prepared and which falsely accused Stanford White of drugging and betraying her."

Mr. Jerome declared that the material issue of the case was as to whether Evelyn Nesbit told her story to Thaw in Paris.

"If she did not tell that story," concluded Mr. Jerome, "then the cause of this man's insanity disappears. I claim the right to show that Evelyn Nesbit herself has denied the story she told this jury."

NEW YORK, March 13.—James Clinch Smith, Stanford White's brother-in-law, was called again as a witness in the Thaw trial this morning. Mr. Smith was late in arriving and Mr. Jerome summoned Abraham Hummel to the stand. Scarcely had Hummel taken his seat when Smith appeared. Thereupon Hummel was temporarily excused.

Mr. Smith was questioned by Mr. Delmas for the defense as to the cablegram from Mr. Jerome summoning him to appear as a witness.

Mr. Smith said he did not have either the original or the cablegram, or a copy.

"As I remember the message, it read: 'Your evidence most important. Your attendance desired.'"

He had first communicated this evidence to his lawyers.

Mr. Smith said he returned to this country on February 17 and communicated with the district attorney's office on the 19th. He had reduced to writing his conversation with Thaw upon the roof garden and had shown the memoranda to his counsel and Mr. Garvan. Mr. Delmas had no further questions and Smith was excused.

HUMMEL ON STAND.

Mr. Hummel again took the stand. He had testified before the arrival of Mr. Smith that he saw Evelyn Nesbit at his office October 27, 1903, after her return from Europe.

"Did you, after a conversation with Evelyn Nesbit on October 27, dictate something to a stenographer?" asked Mr. Jerome.

Delmas objected upon the ground that this was not in rebuttal of any testimony offered by the defense. Justice Fitzgerald overruled the objection.

"Yes, sir," answered the witness. "Did Mrs. Thaw tell you that Thaw wanted to injure White and put him in the penitentiary and that Thaw begged her time and again to swear to documents he had prepared involving Stanford White and charging that he had drugged and ruined her, and that Thaw had beaten her because she would not sign the paper?" asked Jerome.

"I was acting only for Stanford White," replied the witness.

"And you do contemplate some action in Miss Nesbit's behalf?" asked Jerome.

"No, there was no legal action contemplated."

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Dying Woman Seeks Trace of Her Son

John W. Bishop, your mother wants to see you before she dies—is the message to a son whose mother has not heard from him for eight years.

Mrs. A. J. Bishop, of 3322 Tenn. street, Kansas City, Mo., has asked Sheriff Barnett to locate her missing boy. The sheriff's office has searched for a John W. Bishop, but no one by that name is in Oakland.

The following letter from the aged mother is self-explanatory to her son, and should be read by the request of his parent he should be prompt in sending her word:

"Kansas City, March 9, 1907. 'Dear Sir, I want you to try and find my son John W. Bishop. Haven't heard from him for eight years. I would like very much to hear from him, as I am in very poor health. I don't think he will have his mother none for I am threatened with pneumonia. Respectfully yours, 'MRS. A. J. BISHOP.'"

"3322 Tenn. street, Kansas City, Mo."

Meese Will Contest Seat for Council

Councilman Meese, who sought to be returned to the City Council from the Fourth ward, will contest the election of Councilman E. C. Hahn, in event the official canvass of the votes by the Council next Monday night shows that Hahn won by not more than five votes. Meese still has hopes that the official count will reduce Hahn's majority. In event that his expectations in this regard are not fulfilled, Meese will institute a contest for the seat. His friends believe that he will have a good chance to overcome the slight lead of Hahn. On the contrary, Hahn's friends are of the opinion that a recount will mean that many Meese votes will be thrown out and that the majority he now has will be materially increased.

Alameda Boy Struck and Hurt by an Auto

ALAMEDA, March 13.—Eugene Hoebler, an eleven year old boy, was struck by an automobile last night while he was crossing Santa Clara avenue at Stanton street. The boy was knocked to the side of the road and his foot, where the wheel struck it, severely bruised. In the automobile at the time of the accident were Mrs. Thomas Kendall and her mother and father. A chauffeur named George was driving the machine when it struck the boy. He immediately stopped the auto and the boy was taken to a physician where his injuries were given attention. Later he was taken to his home at 1508 Pacific avenue.

Workman Falls 80 Feet to His Death

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—John Slater, an iron worker, living at 15 Richmond avenue, lost his balance and fell 80 feet to his death while working on the Spring Valley building at Geary and Stockton streets, shortly before noon today. He was hurled in an automobile to the Central Emergency Hospital, where he expired five minutes later. The body was then removed to the morgue.

Ohio Banker Ends Life by Shooting

CANTON, Ohio, March 13.—Horace G. McDowell, president of the Farmers' Bank of Canton, shot and killed himself at his country home, five miles north of this city this morning. He was known throughout Ohio as a breeder of high class sheep.

4 Die From Explosion In a Student's Room

KHARKOVO, Russia, March 13.—While the police today were searching the rooms occupied by a student a bomb exploded, killing an officer, three policemen and two civilians. Six others were injured.

CREDITORS' AUCTION SALE.

of extra fine stock of granite, tinware, crockery of J. Harrison. Sale to take place at 107 Clay street, near Eleventh, Oakland, on Friday, March 15th, at 10:30 a. m.

All must and will be sold.

A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

BROKERS ARE IN A PANIC; DROP IN STOCKS

**Summons for Money
Cause of a Flurry
in United States,
Germany, England**

NEW YORK, March 13.—Another break in the stock market today revived the nervous feeling prevailing during the week period of last week. There was no new development to account for the heavy selling but it was generally attributed to the immediate needs of the money market.

The fifteenth of the month calls for some very large dividend payments and it is supposed the banks were obliged to call loans to provide resources for impending requirements. Foreign markets also were upset by the money situation. Liquidation in Berlin and London had an effect here.

Western railroad stocks were the weakest, but declined only to two points and over were general throughout the list. Some of the more conspicuous losses were Great Northern preferred 7 1/2, Northern Pacific 6, Northwestern 5, Union Pacific 5, Canadian Pacific 4 1/2, Reading 4, Amalgamated Copper 3 1/2 and St. Paul 2 1/2.

About 450,000 shares changed hands in the first hour. Call money opened at 6 per cent. Time loans were quoted at 6 per cent, plus accommodation.

Conditions became panicky by noon and prices melted away in a demoralized fashion under the forced liquidation by calling of loans, the wiping out of margins and the throwing upon the market of collateral in loans. The severest losses were in the high grade railroad stocks, especially those in the west. The Hill group dropped about ten points and Canadian Pacific, Reading 6 3/8 and Copper 5.

Fluctuations became very wild in the early afternoon and heavy blocks of stocks were thrown upon the market indiscriminately for what they would bring. The slump in Reading was especially violent. Union Pacific was without apparent support and fell 9 points. The Hill stocks made a momentary stand and rallied several points but slumped again. Amalgamated Copper was unloaded in frightened haste for a decline of 7 3/8.

The enormous shrinkage in values was an unmistakable evidence of losses incurred and attention was alert for any news of embarrassments. Such rumors were only general. The foreign banking and commission houses were besieged for information as the impression was that the force of the trouble was abroad. German banking houses created this and took a moderate view of the Berlin market which was said in fact to be improved.

IN LONDON MARKETS.

Advices from London were not so reassuring and the condition there was reported as one of demoralization, arbitrage brokers being sellers of stocks on an enormous scale. The difficulty here and in Germany was said to be similar. Large capital requirements and restricted money markets form a deadlock and necessitate the selling of existing securities to take care of new offerings.

The market closed nervous and unsettled. Covering by the bears rallied the market, the rally running from 3 to 4 points in stocks that had been weakened. The tone was feverish and unsettled at the highest level.

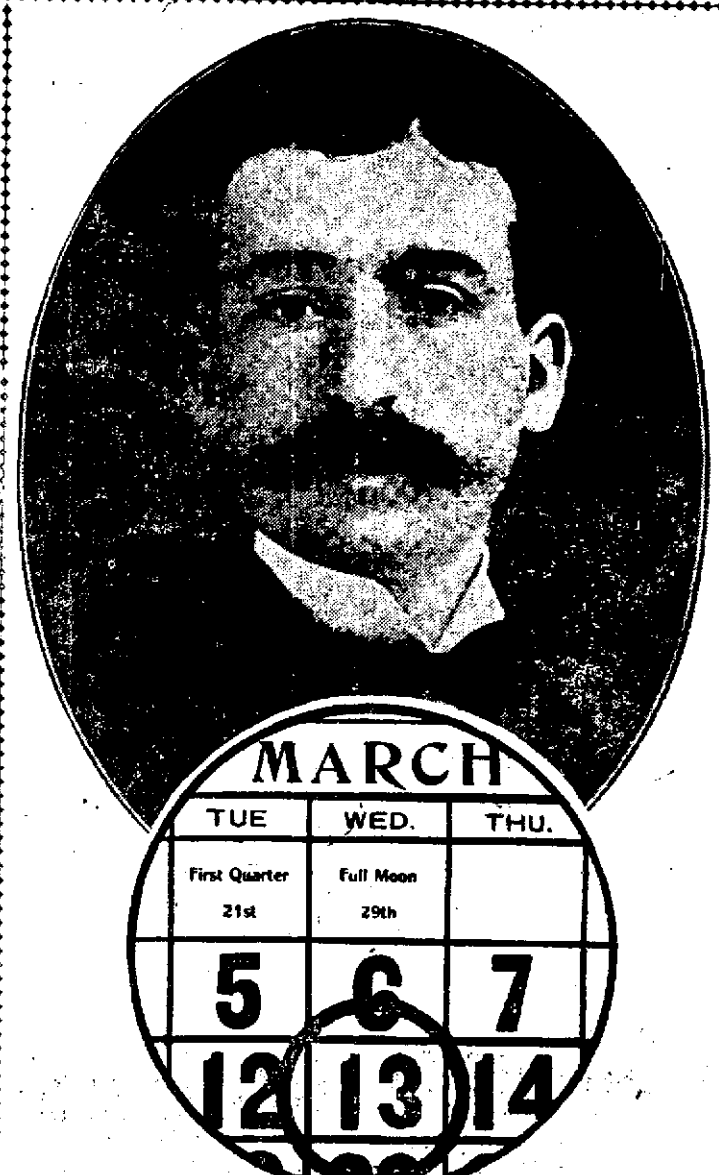
REAL ESTATE AUCTION SALE.

under authority of an Order of Sale, granted by the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, the real property known as 573 Thirtieth street, between Grove street and Telegraph avenue, Oakland, Cal., belonging to the estate of Christopher Melloy, deceased. Will be sold at public auction on the premises, Saturday, March 16th, at 12 M.

The lot is 40x120 ft. with house and barn. Must be sold to settle estate. Terms of Sale: 10 per cent deposit; balance to be within ten days. See legal notice.

GEORGE GRAY, Public Administrator.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.



ABRAHAM RUEF—Will 13 be unlucky for him?

MAYOR MOTT DENIES HE IS TO RUN FOR CONGRESSMAN

Mayor Mott emphatically denied this morning that he was a candidate for Congressman from the third district, or any other office. He said, "My sole ambition, politically or otherwise, at the present time is to carry into effect the plans which originated in my previous administration. The ground work has been laid for extensive betterments and improvements in Oakland and for the next two years I will devote myself to completing the plans already laid."

ANNEXATION ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY

In reference to the annexation election to be held in Fruitvale tomorrow, Mayor Mott said today: "Everything looks favorable for a rousing vote in favor of annexing Fruitvale. In event of such a thing occurring, it will benefit not only the City of Oakland, but the inhabitants of Fruitvale besides. There is merely an imaginary line between the two municipalities and the sooner this is wiped out the better for both communities."

MANUFACTURING COMPANY DESIRES SITE IN OAKLAND

Guarding the name of the company from publicity at this time, a leading piano manufacturing company of Chicago is seeking entrance to Oakland, having selected this city as the most fit for the purpose west of the Rocky Mountains.

So far the project has progressed so successfully that at a meeting held in Chicago one week ago, it was definitely decided to try to establish the plant proposed in this city.

The company with the project under way wants a bonus of \$50,000 cash and land.

San Francisco, March 13. ---Ruef trial adjourns until Monday. Judge Dunne has ordered the impanelment of the Ruef jury to be begun.

THESE JURORS WERE DRAWN IN THE RUEF CASE
TODAY: J. R. BRADSTREET, ANGELO R. DEPERU, J. R. DUMBRELL, WILLIAM COHEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Judge Dunne's court was crowded, all the seats and standing room being occupied, when the case of the people against Abraham Ruef, accused of extortion, was called for trial today.

Assistant District Attorney Heney offered and filed counter affidavits of Judge Dunne, Dr. Robert Patek, F. J. McManus and himself, in contravention of the affidavits of Ruef and Paul M. Nippert alleging the bias and prejudice of Judge Dunne toward the defendant, filed last Sunday by the defense to lay foundation for a request for a change of trial judges.

Mr. Ach, of counsel for Ruef, interrupted Heney with a motion for a change of trial judges, and asked for an adjournment of court to enable the defense to examine the affidavits of the prosecution and determine whether they required the filing of other affidavits in answer.

Mr. Heney opposed this motion on the ground that allegations of bias and prejudice on the part of a trial judge constitute a summary proceeding. He then proceeded to read his own affidavit, when Ach again interrupted and objected to its being read aloud in the hearing of the nineteen talesmen present in court. Heney conceded the point and handed the affidavit to Judge Dunne who read it, silently.

AFFIDAVIT CONTRADICTS AFFIDAVIT.

The affidavit of Dr. Patek is a flat contradiction of the affidavit of Paul M. Nippert, local representative of the Eastern bonding company that furnished Ruef's \$50,000 bail, which was declared forfeited after Ruef went into hiding at Trocadero.

In his affidavit Nippert swears that in last September when he and Judge Dunne and Charles Leonard were spending a vacation at Bunnelle, a fishing resort in Plumas county, during a three-cornered conversation, Judge Dunne averred his belief that there was a great deal of grafting going on in San Francisco and denounced Ruef and Schmitz as grafters.

DENIES STATEMENT ABOUT GRAFTING.

Dr. Patek in his affidavit swears that the remarks attributed by Nippert to Dunne were not made by the latter, but by Nippert himself. He further affirms that, "on the contrary, Judge Dunne made no statement that any grafting was going on and made no statement at all as to his regard or lack of regard for Abraham Ruef or Eugene E. Schmitz or denounced them or even mentioned their names; and during this conversation no one except Nippert expressed any bias or feeling against Ruef and the mayor; and that not even he or Nippert called the mayor by name."

JUDGE'S AFFIDAVIT.

Judge Dunne's affidavit, occupying 11 typed sheets, is a categorical denial of the allegations of bias made against him in the affidavits of Ruef and Nippert. Judge Dunne, among other things, declares that he has "never taken an active interest in politics, either in opposition to Ruef or otherwise," and "admits that, pending the proceedings in this case, he has consulted on a few occasions with Francis J. Heney, as assistant district attorney, in relation to the proceedings herein," but "avows that at none of said consultations has anything whatsoever in the nature of suggestion, threat or promise been made, and that they 'related entirely to the orderly procedure of the court and not to any prospective rulings or judgments or orders of the court in said cause.'"

MAKES MORE DENIALS.

Judge Dunne further denies that he has been prejudiced by the daily campaign against Ruef in the newspapers of San Francisco. He denies that Rudolph Spreckels, in a hearing before him that he (Spreckels) had guaranteed a fund of \$100,000 for the prosecution of Ruef, Mr. Spreckels' testimony was that he had guaranteed a fund of \$100,000, "to investigate municipal affairs."

It further relates the flight of Ruef, the disqualification of the sheriff and coroner for their confessed inability to find and arrest him, the appointment of an elder, the immediate capture by him of the fugitive and "denies that in all or in any of said matters he was acting under the direction and advice of Francis J. Heney but on the contrary, avows the fact to be that he acted upon his own advice and upon what he considered was proper and necessary in the premises in the discharge of his duties" as judge.

FAVORS FAIR TRIAL.

One paragraph of the affidavit recites Judge Dunne's denial "that he is desirous of having said Ruef convicted in this cause and that he is ruling or acting because of such desire or because of any desire in him to see Ruef deposed in politics in San Francisco or as a leader in politics in San Francisco, or in the State of California, or because of any personal ill-will or animosity toward Ruef; but, on the contrary, avows the fact to be that it is

his desire that Ruef have a fair and impartial trial and he is endeavoring and in all respects has been fair and impartial in the conduct of said cause and in his rulings therein, and will continue to be so during the trial and entire proceedings therein, and the same will be conducted by him free from bias or prejudice against said Ruef."

NOT PREJUDICED.

Referring to the September conversation at Bunnelle, Judge Dunne denies that he was employed by Spreckels to prosecute Ruef or Schmitz, or in any way express prejudice against them. The remarks about grafting attributed to him by Nippert he denies having made.

Mr. Heney, in his affidavit, as does Judge Dunne, in his, denies the allegation of Ruef that the latter's attorneys were not afforded the customary legal privileges in the examination of the 150 talesmen all but nineteen of whom were rejected by the court for one disqualification or another. He, as does Judge Dunne, denies also that the latter refused to hear arguments on the motion of the defense to set aside the indictments, but, on the contrary, that "all questions of law therein were argued by counsel for the respective parties."

HENEY MAKES DENIAL.

Mr. Heney repudiates the assertion of the defense that he was employed by Rudolph Spreckels to prosecute Ruef. Adverting to the capture of Ruef by Biggy and Detective Burns, Heney charges Ruef and his employee, Myrtle Cerr, with concealing their identity from the proprietor of the Trocadero resort, and with resisting arrest when the officers came upon them at supper in their bedroom.

Concluding his affidavit, Heney avows that at no time during the proceedings in said cause has Judge Dunne shown any bias or feeling against Ruef, but at all times has given unto said Ruef a fair and impartial trial and hearing and has at all times conducted himself as Heney's affidavit, Mr. Spreckels' affidavit, Mr. Nippert's affidavit, and at no time has evidenced any bias or prejudice against Ruef."

WANTS TO PROCEED.

When Judge Dunne had finished reading Heney's affidavit, Mr. Shortridge

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ARGUE OVER THAW'S CASE

Prosecutor Says Story Told by Prisoner's Wife Isn't True.

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tempted so far as she was concerned.

There was no communication between the witness and Miss Nesbit as counsel and client.

WHITE PAYS MONEY. "I must object," said Delmas, "to the question, upon the ground that it is not proper rebuttal."

Before the court could rule, however, Delmas put further questions to the witness which had reference to the payments he received from Stanford White for legal services.

Mr. Jerome's contention was that if it could be shown that under oath Miss Nesbit denied that she told Thaw the stories about Stanford White which she testified to have told him in Paris, that fact must have weight with the jury in deciding whether she had in truth made that statement, related her testimony and which has been the basis of the theory that the defendant is innocent.

JEROME'S PROPOSITION. "If her story is true," continued Mr. Jerome, "I know of nothing in history or literature more sublime than Evelyn Nesbit's self-sacrifice in her renunciation of the love of the man who was told was paying honorable court to her."

"But she returned to America on October 24 and on October 27 she was in Hammett's office with the man who now says ruined her and that she said that in Europe Thaw had stripped her and beat her with a whip because she refused to sign a paper accusing White of drugging her," Stanford White, she said, "never harmed her."

"The proposition," continued Mr. Jerome, "if Evelyn Nesbit did not tell Thaw this story in Paris, the reason for his insanity disappears. If she did not tell the story, the hypothesis based on the expert's opinion disappears. I contend that under the law, I have a right to show that this woman made the statement outside of court, but under oath, that she did not tell Thaw that she had told him any such story as she has told here."

Mr. Jerome sat down and Mr. Delmas arose. He said that as the hour for the luncheon recess was approaching and as Mr. Jerome's argument necessitated an extended reply, he would ask that recess be taken immediately so that his argument might not be interrupted.

Mr. Jerome amended the motion by asking that court adjourn for the day.

"I am not desirous of getting through with this case and am I am sure both Mr. Delmas and your honor feel the same way. I think we could save time if we adjourned now until tomorrow morning, and in the meantime Mr. Delmas and myself can probably agree upon the wording of a hypothetical question and thereby save the time of the court which would otherwise be taken up by arguments and searching through the records."

"Unless Mr. Delmas agrees up a long time in his cross-examination of the experts, I see no reason why the case should not be closed on Friday."

Judge Fitzgerald ordered the adjournment until tomorrow morning.

ABRAHAM RUEF IS NOW ON VERGE OF LONG TRIAL His Attorneys State That It Will Require at Least Several Weeks to Finish Case.

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moved for an adjournment until 2 o'clock "to enable counsel for the defendant to examine these affidavits and take such steps as may appear proper in respect to them and to our motion for a change of trial judges."

"Then," replied Judge Dunne, "that the district attorney is correct. I don't think we can try out these affidavits on this motion."

"There is no reason in the world," interrupted Judge Dunne, "that there has been enough delay."

POURED OVER PAPERS. Counsel for Ruef put in the next five minutes pouring over the papers when Ach renewed the motion for a recess.

"It would certainly save time," he said. "There is no reason in the world," interrupted Judge Dunne, "that there has been enough delay."

ACH SPRANG TO HIS FEET, saying: "It is possible that counsel's right to read these affidavits is to be denied in this court."

"You can take them home and to bed with you if you like."

After some further titling Attorneys Ach, Sherrill and Parrell resumed the silent inspection of the papers, while the court waited.

RAISES OBJECTIONS. Having finished the reading of the counter affidavits, Ach said:

"My object in the consideration of these affidavits on the ground that there appears upon pleading them over, to be a sharp contrast between the affidavits of affidants on one side and the other, and it seems to counsel for the defendant that it would be in violation of the spirit of the constitution of the United States, and of this state for your honor to pass upon the questions of fact raised in these affidavits and counter affidavits. We object upon the further ground that it is the purpose of the court, to endeavor to put in further affidavits and examine witnesses respecting the allegations made therein."

DEFENDANT'S RIGHTS. "The defendant perhaps has the right to ask you, honor," said Ach, "to call in the judge of another court to pass on the ultimate question of fact involved as a matter of fact, the defendant calls in a witness and questions him, and we can do that."

"I am approved of in full the Civil Code section that has been partially cited by you, and pointing out that the law stipulates that in matters of this sort the judge himself has to pass upon the affidavits and counter affidavits, and decide whether or not the allegations against himself or bias has been sustained."

CALLS HENRY LIAR. In the course of a spirited dispute between Ach and Heney, the former accused the latter of untruthfulness. Heney merely shrugged his shoulders and smiled.

The court denied the motion for a change of trial judges and at 11:40 o'clock Judge Dunne ordered the imprisonment of the jury to be begun.

To this the defense objected, "until the case is tried by 150 jurors originally drawn by order of the court, called in, and placed in the jury box."

ACH OBJECTED. Judge Dunne was overruled. Judge Dunne holding that the discharge of the old panel was within the rights of the court.

At 12:10, despite a renewed suggestion for a recess by Ach, the calling of the witnesses by the clerk was begun.

Mr. R. B. Brant, Judge Dipert, J. R. Dunne and William Cole had been called and when the proceeding came to a sudden stop, Judge Dunne declared that to his name and it was found that

ARE CITIZENS IN EMBRYO

Founder of George Junior Republic Tells of Great Work.

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William R. George, founder of the George Junior Republic, of Freeville, New York, lectured at the chambers of the Merchants' Exchange last night.

Mr. George explained the objects of this junior republic and also the manner in which it was launched, of which the following is the substance of the lecture.

Ten years ago Mr. George took a number of poor children from the New York streets and brought them to his summer residence at Freeville, to pass the summer.

LIKE IDEA. Many people hearing of this, sent articles of clothing to the children, which were distributed by Mr. George. When the children went home at the end of the first summer Mr. George settled down to do some lively thinking.

He saw that the giving away of clothes had a tendency to pauperize the children and so he hit upon a plan of having them work for their clothes, and food.

This did not take well with the children at first, but he was determined that they should work. They were furnished no clothes, so in a short time all of them were busy at various kinds of work.

REQUEST PROTECTION. "Then," said Mr. George, "I made a humble request that never was granted. I do not think that very thing. Your motion never should have been made in the presence of the jury, or at all."

"Your own remarks," retorted Ach, "holly turning and facing Heney. Your motion never should have been made in the presence of the jury, or at all."

"One day I got to thinking, and decided that the children themselves could judge that had been accused of crime and I found that this worked to perfection."

"After this, the number of crimes decreased wonderfully."

PLAN OF PUNISHMENT. The speaker then went on to tell of how he changed the mode of punishment, and also found that if a responsibility was placed upon a person, he would immediately straighten up and take up his duties arduously.

The children were pleased at this, and at the end of the season, requested the privilege of returning the next summer.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY. Then it was during this winter that Mr. George hit upon the plan of having different colored pasteboards to represent the various pieces of money in this country.

One idea led to another and he soon planned to have a court, judge, bank, jail, police force, a president, and all the things, which go to make up a miniature republic, and he named it, "George Junior Republic."

THE REPUBLIC. In July, 1895, the Junior Republic was started, and after the course of a few days, everything went as well as could be expected.

The residents vote for their laws and officials, the voting age being reached at fourteen instead of twenty-one years of age.

TAXATION. All the citizens pay taxes, and they are laid "trades in the different shops, in which way they earn their livelihood. Their laws are based on those of the state of New York."

SENATOR PERKINS TELLS WHAT CONGRESS HAS DONE

Oakland Receives Generous Treatment and the State's Interests are Well Guarded.

Senator George C. Perkins is as well pleased as a schoolboy at vacation time to return to his home after three months absence in Washington attending to his Senatorial duties in Congress.

"I always feel glad to get back home," said the Senator in an interview this morning at the office of Goodall, Perkins & Co., at 1217 Jackson street.

"A sense of great relief comes over me as soon as I cross the divide and begin to descend the western slope of California."

OAKLAND'S GROWTH AND PROSPECTS. "Yes," he continued, "I observe great changes in Oakland since I left. I have been away only three months, but I see evidences of substantial growth on every hand. The air is full of the spirit of improvement. Oakland's future is assured. It is destined to be a great commercial city. It possesses for the purpose the most favored location on the western side of the continent fronting on one of the finest bays in the world and promises to develop into the metropolis of the Pacific Coast. Its climate, location and rail and water facilities give every assurance of this development."

In response to an inquiry respecting the work of the session in Congress, Senator Perkins replied:

"I want to pay a compliment to my colleagues from this State. They have all co-operated with me in furthering the interests of the State and we have been unusually successful in securing those measures and appropriations which the State needed."

APPRECIATION OF OAKLAND. "So far as Oakland is concerned Congress had a comprehensive appreciation of its present and prospective importance and the necessity for the improvement of its harbor facilities and it responded generously to its applications for appropriations to develop them. Senator Flint, who hails from the southern part of the State, was enthusiastic and energetic in his efforts to advance all of its interests in Congress."

TRIBUTE TO KNOWLAND. "And I cannot speak too highly of the eminent services of Congressman Knowland. No California representative in Congress ever made as many friends or accomplished as much for his district as he has done. He is one of the most energetic and influential young men in Congress, and the credit for much that was done at the late session for the benefit of the district he represents in particular is due to his intelligent and energetic work."

And with Senator Flint and myself and the rest of the California delegation and that with an enthusiasm which commanded the greatest admiration, in fact the successful accomplishment

JUDGE MELVIN RETURNS HOME

Royally Welcomed by Members of Elks Lodges About Bay

After an absence from the city of over a month, during which time he was the guest of honor of the Grand Lodge of Elks at their convention in New York city, Judge Melvin arrived home this morning.

He was royally welcomed by the local lodge and representatives from all the lodges about the bay. Elaborate preparations were made to receive the returning grand exalted ruler, who holds the highest position in the fraternity in the United States.

During Judge Melvin's absence from the city, Judge J. D. Murphy of Mono county has been occupying the position on the bench of department five of the Superior Court.

SPEECHES AND IRISH SONGS AT ST. ANTHONY'S. St. Patrick's Day will be celebrated with a literary and musical entertainment to be given Saturday evening, March 6, at St. Anthony's hall, Sixteenth avenue and East Sixteenth street.

The Rev. P. C. Yorke will deliver the address of the evening. The program arranged is as follows:

"Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," St. Cecilia vesper choir; Gaelic song, Miss Loretta Barr; "Irish Melodies," Miss Marion Pelton; "St. Patrick's Day," St. Anthony's Gregorian choir; Irish songs, George Kelley; "The Yorks Dragoons," song and drill by St. Anthony's boy choir and grand male chorus; "God Save Ireland," Master Arthur White, soloist.

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Hundreds Are Taking Advantage of the Free Course of Music Lessons Offered by Eilers Music Company to Piano Purchasers.

A four months' course of music lessons is what Eilers Music Company are giving to every piano purchaser absolutely without cost. Ten well-known American factories have agreed to the sale of 518 choice pianos at the lowest possible prices and to also pay for any instructor that may be selected, also to furnish without cost the necessary instruction books. While other manufacturers are spending money to buy the testimonials of great pianists through the agency of the Eilers Music Company, are making a generous advertisement of their pianos for placing in the homes of their customers. Such a plan is not only practical, but brings a saving directly to every piano purchaser, and it is quite certain that these 518 choice pianos, placed in the homes of California, do more to advertise these makes than any touring pianist possibly could.

Finest Quality. Of course, it is of the greatest importance that such pianos should be of the very finest quality and best workmanship. For if they are of inferior quality they will ruin the manufacturer and dealer as well, instead of increasing the business. Such an advertising campaign can only be carried on with the very highest grade pianos. In selecting the Hazelton, the Decker and the Kimball the genuineness of this campaign is at once established, and while some of the other makes may not be so well known, they have wherever used, brought the very best expression of opinion. The Hazelton, Decker and Kimball are well known and sold by another house, which held the prices a full hundred dollars above what is now being asked for them. The Schumann has enthusiasm to followers everywhere. The Story & Clark is an artistic piano throughout. The Schumann, the Eilers and the Story & Clark have all established their reputations in their respective grades and are becoming more popular each year.

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Easy Terms of Payment. The prices quoted are for net cash, but if you want time you can have this without any additional charge by the payment of simple interest on the unpaid balance.

RESCINDS ITS FORMER ORDER

Public Works Board Grants Permission to Continue Erection of Buildings.

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works today the Board rescinded its order that all buildings be removed on buildings under way in the case of the fire lines in the case of buildings which were under way when the order revoking the licenses went into effect.

The Board's ruling involved property to the amount of \$145,000.

The action of the Board reflected on eleven permits granted by the Board last fall for three-story frame buildings.

After the permits were granted an ordinance was passed by the Board extending the fire limits.

The eleven buildings were under way before the fire lines were extended.

The property owners went before the City Council and the Council passed a resolution recommending that the ordinance relating to the extension of the fire line be non-operative in the case of buildings under way.

After a brief consideration of the Council's resolution the Board passed a resolution allowing the owners of the buildings to continue the work as originally intended.

The new Central Hospital valued at \$35,000 is affected by the Board's new ruling and will be rushed to completion now.

HIGHER COURT GRANTS SUIT

Gertrude Johnson Is Awarded Damages by Supreme Court of State.

The Supreme Court of the State has reversed the decision of the lower court in the damage suit brought by Gertrude Johnson against the Southern Pacific Company for \$25,518.85.

Mr. Delmas fought the case in the Superior Court and won a decision in favor of the plaintiff in 1901, but the railroad company appealed the case and this morning a remittitur was received by the County Clerk, which stated that the defendant had the authority to collect the costs of appeal from the plaintiff.

Mrs. Johnson was 16 years old at the time of the accident by which she sustained a fracture of the brain and a fractured left arm. She was thrown from the train near Niles when attempting to alight from the car, thinking the call of the brakeman was her station. Attorney A. A. Moore fought the case for the railroad.

COURT DISSOLVES BUILDING CORPORATION

Judge Ellsworth this morning granted an order dissolving the corporation of the California Yacht Club Building Association, which petitioned the Superior Court for this several weeks ago.

The Board could find no ordinance to prevent the building of a livery stable in the neighborhood and the livery stable may be erected according to the plans of the builders.

NEWS NOTES OF RICHMOND

Whist Tournament of the Woman's Improvement Club Largely Attended.

RICHMOND, March 14.—The members of the Woman's Improvement Club gave another of their whist tournaments in the A. O. U. W. hall last evening. The affair was under the immediate supervision of Mesdames N. M. Blankenship, W. A. Lucas and A. P. Horstman, and its success is largely due to their efforts. Twenty-one tables were filled with lovers of the game and after a spirited contest prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. T. P. Jacobs first, ardentist; Mrs. L. B. Boswell, second; ornamental art; Miss L. J. Smallwood, third, photographed stool; Gentlemen—O. C. Staley, first, pin tray; O. P. Wilson, second, photographed picture; J. R. Miller third, a vase. Following the award of prizes refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed.

James Lill and James Smith were given five and ten days respectively in Recorder Kennon's court yesterday morning on a vagrancy charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patrick and daughter, who were in Sacramento yesterday morning, where they will remain for a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Duthier, formerly of Richmond, will take up their residence in San Francisco today. Mr. Duthier has been in the city for some time and will be in the city for some time.

The members of the Blue Rock club held the first meeting of the year last evening at the "Coca-Cola" hall. The new officers were elected: J. C. Feudner, president; J. P. Arnold, secretary; Clark King, cashier.

B. F. Gore, Geo. and Arthur Avila were arrested yesterday on a charge of assaulting Chas. Hunt. Hunt is in charge of the Stege skating rink and when he remonstrated with the boys for improper skating and had nearly in the row which followed, George and Arthur Avila were fined \$20 and \$15 respectively and Gore discharged.

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SAYS HUSBAND WAS TOO GAY

Woman Seeks Divorce Because Hubby Liked Company of Others.

Even in far away Alaska, and possessed of the high title of a deputy United States marshal, a man cannot be too gay. It was the alleged improper conduct of Edward Hasey that drove his wife back to the States, and caused her to sue for divorce. Hasey was so greatly pleased with having the company of being married that he purchased tickets for her and the three little children.

Mrs. Hasey is young and decidedly pretty. When she told the story to Judge Ellsworth some time ago, he was doubtful whether or not he would grant a decree to such a pretty woman who claimed that her husband was dissipated in his habits, and that where women are by no means plentiful.

Attorneys Dibert and Stiefvater fought the case for their client, and asked for an interlocutory decree of divorce on the ground of technical desertion, which was granted this morning by Judge Ellsworth.

Maria J. Suarez has commenced suit for divorce against Teofila A. Suarez. An interlocutory decree of divorce was granted this morning by Judge Ogden to Jean Robbins against James H. Robbins on the ground of willful desertion.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The closing stock list was as follows:

Aitchison	95 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	100 3/4
Canadian Pacific	149 1/2
Chicago & North Western	142 1/2
Colorado Southern	26 1/2
Denver & Northern Pacific	31
Do preferred	72
Erie	25 1/2
Illinois Central	117
Rock Island	117
Nashville	117
Mexican Central	20 1/2
Missouri Pacific	117 1/2
New York Central	117 1/2
Pennsylvania	122
Reading	112 1/2
Rock Island	117
St. Paul	123 1/2
Southern Railway	21 1/2
Union Pacific	145 1/2
Do preferred	12 1/2
Wisconsin Central	16 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Amalgamated Copper	95 1/2
American Locomotive	37 1/2
Amesbury	65 1/2
American Smelting and Refining	12 1/2
Do preferred	55 1/2
Brown & Root	33
Colorado Fuel and Iron	33
International Paper	19
National Lead	62 1/2
Pacific Mail	25 1/2
Rock Island	117
Standard Oil	35 1/2
Pullman Palace Car	162
Standard Oil	120 1/2
Tennessee Coal and Iron	140
United States Steel	39 1/2
Western Union	81 1/2
Northern Pacific	120 1/2
Great Northern	112 1/2
Interborough Metropolitan	25
Do preferred	58 1/2
Mackay	65 1/2
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ENTERTAINS MANY GUESTS

Mrs. G. P. Baldwin Gives Tea in Honor of Misses Oliver and Coghill.

Mrs. George Porter Baldwin entertained today at an elaborate tea given at her home on Grove street for Miss Anita Oliver and Miss Bessie Coghill, two attractive brides-elect, who have been the favored guests at several recent affairs.

The house was decorated with spring blossoms, and a large receiving party assisted Mrs. Baldwin in her duties as hostess.

ON BRIEF VISIT.

Mrs. Baldwin, who was Florence Elliott, is here on a brief visit, and almost one hundred guests shared the hospitality of the charming visitor.

Mrs. Baldwin was assisted in receiving by Miss Oliver, Mrs. Dan Balder, Mrs. Albert A. Long, Miss Viva Nicholson, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Edith Selby, Mrs. Hugh Weaver, Mrs. Willard Williamson, Mrs. Sylvanus Farnham, Mrs. Frank Gilbreth, Miss Alma Brown, Mrs. Henry Lund.

INVITED GUESTS.

Among the guests invited were Mrs. Roland Oliver, Miss Lillian Downey, Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow, Miss Christine Taft, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. J. J. Meigs, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Miss Belle Nicholson, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Miss Maude Pope, Mrs. T. B. Coghill, Mrs. John H. Hays, Mrs. George Wheaton, Mrs. J. Dunn, Mrs. Von Loben Sels, Miss Von Loben Sels, Mrs. Challen Parker, Mrs. J. Loran Pearce, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Grace Dawson, Mrs. Whipple Hall, Mrs. Charles D. Bates Jr., Mrs. Harry Farr, Mrs. Maxwell Taft, Mrs. Harrison Clay, Miss McDermott, Miss Kittie Kutz, Mrs. Clifton Kroll, Mrs. Timmerman, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Arthur Washburn, Miss Joseph, Miss Sloper, Miss Clifford, Mrs. Anthony Kaiser, Miss Arner, Miss Rose and Miss Ruth Kales, Mrs. N. Thompson, Miss Huessey, Miss Marjette Huessey, Mrs. De Golia, Miss May Cogan, Mrs. Henry Diekmann, Miss Jane Barry, Mrs. Frank Watson, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mrs. Mundy, Miss Emma Mahoney, Mrs. J. Brittain, Miss Schellin, Mrs. E. Thomas, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. S. Radford, Miss Critchenden, Mrs. Peter Allen, Mrs. W. H. Morrison, Mrs. W. S. Baxter and others.

RETURNS FROM EASTERN TRIP

California's Green Fields and Balm Atmosphere Are Topics of East.

Charles H. Taylor and family have just returned from an eastern trip. Mrs. Taylor having spent the last two weeks of their visit at Little Rock, Ark., with Captain and Mrs. James Callahan.

Mr. Taylor had been in business twelve years prior to coming to Oakland. Mr. Taylor expressed himself as being more in love with California than ever. The eastern cities show a marked improvement, though they do not compare with Oakland.

He says the green fields and balm air of California are the principal topics of conversation among easterners, and predicts an even greater influx of tourists in the future than in the past.

SERVED ON "OLD IRONSIDES."
The oldest survivor of the crew of the Constitution, Moses D. Webber, of Salem, Mass., is 87 years old. He served on "Old Ironsides" when she still carried her original battery of 41 guns. He was born in Boston February 1, 1820, and began his life on the sea at the age of 12. In 1835 he enlisted in the navy, and after a short term of service on a revenue cutter he was assigned to the United States frigate Constitution. He retired in 1858 from the sea, and going back to Salem married and became an engineer in a Salem leather factory. He has been retired from active work now for several years.—Kansas City Journal.

Willie Disgusted



Well, I am going to quit being a bill poster. Some smarty told me paste was made out of flour and water and was really good to eat, so me for the eat. I will try anything to get fat—but wait till I find the feller that put me up against that sour paste. I am going over to Varney & Green's this afternoon and let a contract with them to do this job for me and then you will see a job done right. I hadn't ought to have started this job anyway, but I won't give it up, but just boss it. Keep your eye on Varney & Green's bill boards. Keep it on this store; see some more eyes if yours can't see enough, but whatever you do come around every day and see what we are doing. My boss is the real thing when it comes to moving goods; beats a furniture van all hollow, and the reason why this store does so much business is 'cause this store does business right at

1107 TO 1117 WASHINGTON ST.
C. J. HEESEMAN
IS THE MAN.

WARM FRIENDS ARRANGE FUNERAL OF LIVING MAN, SENDING FLORAL WREATHS AS TOKENS OF RESPECT

PALL BEARERS ARE SELECTED

But A. C. Scott, Although Sick,
Refuses to Oblige—Will
Not Be Buried Alive.

For reasons, mainly personal, the funeral of A. C. Scott, better known to his Oakland friends as "Lord Alfred," is indefinitely postponed. "Scotty" feels the honor shown, appreciates the floral offerings sent, and even approves the list of pallbearers arranged for the obsequies deemed to fit his standing in the world, but still begs to be excused, for, as he says: "I'm not dead yet, by jove; no, sir, alive, and, by jove, I won't be buried; no, sir, I won't be buried so long as I live, by jove."

All of which unfolds a real story of improbable facts, unique because they are true, and true because "Lord Alfred" left his sick bed to tell the readers of THE TRIBUNE all about the matter. He has been in one of the wards of St. John's hospital for about a week being mended by physicians from the shattering attack of pneumonia. Just how sick he was only the doctors know. Since yesterday morning "Lord Alfred" has dropped all remembrances of anything but active protests against being the star at a funeral.

NURSE BROKE NEWS.

"Good morning, Mr. Scott," said a nurse at the hospital yesterday. "I wonder why all these flowers are coming to you?"

"Funny, by jove; it's 'n't funny," replied the sufferer. "It's my friends, that's all. 'Bring 'em up, by jove; I want to see 'em."

Then the flowers came, and it wasn't their freshness or the odor of spring that first pleased him, for there was nothing said was bettering the recipient of funeral flowers. Neither could it be figured out as just what a dead man would be supposed to say if it were possible for such a thing to be, and yet, it might be that many would like to have been in Scotty's place just a little while.

"Well, I'll be —," funeral flowers, by jove.

There were other things said, or rather exploded, the fragments scattering like a bursting thirteen-inch shell, fully as vaporous as sulphuric acid, as penetrating—perhaps it's better to let this rest here, for there was nothing said was bettering the recipient of funeral flowers. Neither could it be figured out as just what a dead man would be supposed to say if it were possible for such a thing to be, and yet, it might be that many would like to have been in Scotty's place just a little while.

YELLED FOR CLOTHES.

"Get me my clothes, by jove," shout-



A. C. SCOTT (LORD ALFRED SCOTT).

ed the usually amiable "Scotty." "My pants, me waistcoat, by jove; and don't forget me shoes, by — Just to think."

Under strict protest a pneumonia jacket, rice soft strips of adhesive plaster, covering antiphlogistic, was wrapped about Scotty. It worried him, for, as he expressed it, "I think I'm dead, by jove; it's a winding sheet you're putting on me, and by — I'm not dead. 'At Rest,' by jove, what do you think?"

FUNERAL PROMENADE.

It would fill a chapter, the story of the trip "Scotty" took down town. His friends all thought him dead, and when he appeared they acted as if they had seen a ghost. One friend was on the way to the hospital to see what help he could be to Scotty's relatives.

"Why, man, aren't you dead?" he cried again.

"Dead, by jove!" cried "Lord Alfred." "do I look dead? Why — I mean I ain't dead."

"Daisy man, easy," cried this friend. "I have a list of the pallbearers who are selected for your funeral."

Imagination can supply the rest after the description of what happened when the news of his death was first brought to the living man. Only the sayings were briefer and the explosions passed from the likening to a bursting thir-

teen-inch shell to the magnitude of a powder factory explosion. Not even the dampening of Scotch highballs were cooling, the sizzling was the more apparent, more vigorous and in an hour "Scotty" was steaming.

FRIENDS DISAPPOINTED.

"By jove, you know," said "Lord Alfred," later, "me friends seem disappointed, they did, by jove. 'Ain't you dead?' said one of the bloomers. 'Why, I heard you was, I'm glad you know that you ain't, but, by jove, the beggar didn't say it like he meant it. I want you to put a card of thanks in the paper, you know, say I'm obliged, and all that sort of thing."

The story is told of an Iowa man who patented an India rubber sidewalk. After much lobbying with his friends among the town council, he was allowed to put down several yards of it as an experiment. As a noise-absorber it proved most effective, and the early demonstrations seemed to be living down skepticism in regard to it so rapidly that the inventor's fortune was all but made. Then the inventor made a fatal blunder. To show how solid and strong it was he began jumping up and down on it with his whole weight. The walk could not forget that it was still rubber, and when the ambitious inventor planked his heels into it he was promptly pitched over the fence into a briar patch. The episode proved such a joke that the budding popularity of the new idea began to wane, and there are still no rubber sidewalks in Iowa.

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THIRD DEGREE OF NO AVAIL

Denver Police's Misuse of Alleged Murderer Likely to Set Him Free.

DENVER, March 12.—Unless new and important evidence shall be found against Benjamin C. Wright, he will probably never be tried on the charge of murdering his wife and child, as District Attorney George A. Stidger admits evidence to convict the man is lacking. The alleged confession made by Wright to Chief of Police Delaney is said to be worthless as evidence, having been obtained by use of physical force.

NO POISON FOUND.

No poison was found in the bodies of Mrs. Wright and her child, and it is claimed by the defense that their deaths were probably caused by carbon dioxide from a defective gas heater in which the bodies were found.

As a test of this theory, the defense placed a dog in the house with the gas heater burning, and after two hours, it is asserted, the animal was taken out asphyxiated.

WEDS WOMAN HE DEFENDED

Trial Judge Performs Ceremony Five Minutes After Acquittal.

SHREVEPORT, La., March 12.—At midnight last night, in the courtroom where he had, five minutes before, been declared not guilty of murder, Lee Brock was married to Mrs. Mattie Kelley, the woman in defense of whose reputation he did the killing.

The juryman who had acquitted Brock were the witnesses and the trial judge performed the ceremony. Brock shot I. A. Buckman last summer, alleging that he cursed Mrs. Kelley.

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TRAIN DROPS INTO RIVER

Bridge Collapses and Three Railroad Employees Are Drowned in Accident.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 12.—Three men drowned, a railroad bridge washed away and an engine and five freight cars in the water, are the results of the rapid rise, during last night, of Deer Creek, near Harnmarville, Pa., on the West Pennsylvania railroad. The dead: J. B. Mikesell, engineer; W. J. Cantwell, fireman and J. M. Johns, brakeman.

BRIDGE BREAKS DOWN.

A freight train, which entered upon the bridge, got no further than the second span when it gave way. Before the engineer, fireman or brakeman, upon the forward part of the train, could realize what had happened, the bridge went down, carrying the engine, trainmen and five cars with it. One of the loaded freight cars was carried down the creek a quarter of a mile. Rain has fallen for the past 24 hours.

IDENTIFIES KILLED MAN

Victim of Horrible Railroad Accident Recognized As Manuel Silva.

The remains of the man which were found scattered along the railroad track at Wood street yesterday morning have been identified as those of Manuel Silva, a laborer, residing at 1725 Fifth street. He leaves a wife and eight children.

Death came to him while attempting to pass in front of the train from Alameda. He was struck by the pilot of the engine and hurled directly in front. The wheels of the engine and those of the cars passed over his body, severing it into twenty pieces, which were scattered along the track for a distance of 100 feet.

NINE JURYMEN FOR PEMBROKE TRIAL

Jurymen secured in the Pembroke case at noon today were: William Lawrence, R. F. Lewis, J. J. O'Toole, Edmund Gates, G. Shaffer, Joaquim Pereira, J. F. Lewis, Carl Berlin and Joseph Piny. The jury may be completed this afternoon and the examination of witnesses for the prosecution begins tomorrow morning.

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MENTAL STORM KILLS MEMORY

As Good an Excuse as Any For the Chinese Since the Tong War Ended.

Since the tong war in Chinatown has been declared off, the memory of Chinese witnesses has been materially affected, and as a result Shoo Shue Koon, who is said to be a highbinder, and a bad man, was dismissed in Police Judge Samuel's court this morning on a charge of robbery, preferred by Wong Lum Shee, a d-mure young lady, whom the Chinese say is a perfect beauty measured by Oriental standards.

According to the first story told by the fair Wong Lum Shee, she was standing before her mirror at her home, 359 1-2 Second street, arranging her raven locks over her brow of alabaster when the highbinder rudely broke in upon her privacy, knocked her down and stole two golden bracelets valued at \$100 from her arms.

This morning in court the Oriental maiden forgot everything that she knew. The cessation of tong hostilities simply brought oblivion to her mind. She did not know, did not remember and could not tell any essential facts. The result of her remarkable lapse of memory was that the man she accused of robbing her was turned loose.

BUILT SHED WITHOUT GETTING A PERMIT

Building Inspector John F. Towle has served a long charge J. Rohan, the well known Sixth Ward politician, with having violated the building ordinance. The charge is that Rohan erected a shed without having first obtained a permit. The case will be heard by Police Judge Samuel.

"NO MORE ALCOHOL"

This from one of the oldest Sarsaparilla vendors, while another says, "Only 18 per cent — the smallest amount of spirits that will extract the virtues, etc." How very consistent! Why not come out frankly and say: "The fig is up. We can no longer sell alcoholic beverages under guise of panacea, like Sarsaparilla, peruvian bark, and the like." Consult your doctor. If he wants to prescribe a tonic, he will recommend our "Old Reliable" or he may prescribe just cocaine or egg phosphates or a Lohndard's! No telling. We are getting wiser all the time. Perhaps there was room for it.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY—SEE THE MANY NOVEL SOUVENIRS WE ARE SHOWING.

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407 ANSWERED AT ROLL CALL

Reported Casualties on French Battleship Not So Large As First Given Out.

TOULON, France, March 12.—Minister of Marine Thomson arrived here this morning from Paris. The roll of the battleship Iena, on which the disastrous explosion occurred yesterday was called, and 407 men replied to their names. Those of the crew who are injured are quartered temporarily in the naval barracks.

Twenty-four officers and engineers are reported to be safe, and there are forty-four of the crew lying in the hospitals seriously injured. As the officers and crew numbered 620, it will be seen that 152 are not accounted for, but the naval authorities consider it most probable that a large number of these have sought refuge with relatives or friends in Toulon.

JUDGE WASTE HOME WITH SEVERE COLD

Judge William H. Waste, of department 4 of the Alameda county Superior Court, is at his home in Berkeley suffering from a severe cold. The judge will not be on the bench for several days until he regains his health.

BETRAYER OF GIRL IS PLACED ON TRIAL

Manuel Correla, charged with the betrayal of Rosalia Olivarez under the promise of marriage, was put on trial today in department 4 of the Superior Court. A jury is being selected from the regular panel.

NICARAGUANS SEARCH AMERICAN STEAMER

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 12.—The American steamer City of Para, having on board 1000 rifles destined for Amapa, was recently overhauled by a Nicaraguan gunboat, which seized the rifles. The steamer was permitted to proceed to her destination.

FILES LARGE DAMAGE SUIT

Seek to Recover \$100,000 From Persons Accused of Complicity.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 12.—Suit to recover \$100,000 damages was filed last night in the Fayette court against James Hargis, Edward Callahan and Elbert Hargis by T. P. Cardwell, guardian for Edward, Lucy and Brackley Cox, children of Dr. E. D. Cox.

In the petition it is alleged that these defendants, who are awaiting trial for complicity in the murder of Dr. Cox, conspired with each other and others whose names are not known to murder Dr. Cox.

DELIGHTS OF LITERATURE.

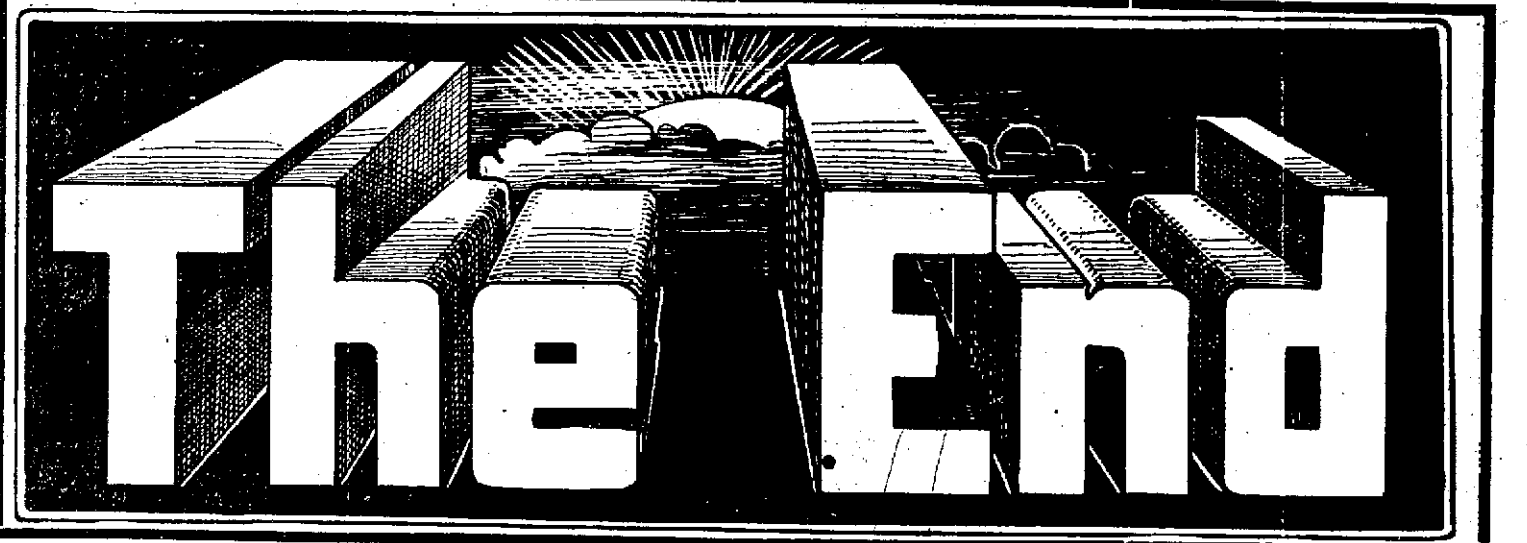
A lady asked her gardener if he had read the book she had given him at Christmas, and he never read it. She said the gardener in pure Kentish. She began to point out the beauties of literature. "It's like this," said the gardener, leaning on his spade: "You reads a bit, and then you thinks a bit, and then you gets a terrible headache."—London Chronicle.



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TRUSTEES ARE NOW SELECTED

Fund of \$10,000,000 Will Be Set Aside For Carrying Out Her Plans

NEW YORK, March 13.—Mrs. Russell Sage, through her counsel, Attorney Henry W. DeForest, has authorized the following: A fund of \$10,000,000 to be set aside for the incorporation of which has been introduced in the Senate at Albany.

I have set aside \$10,000,000 for the endowment of this foundation. Its object is the improvement of social and living conditions in the United States.

The means to that end will include research, publication, education, the establishment and maintenance of charitable and benevolent institutions, agencies and institutions, and the aid of any such activities, agencies and institutions already established.

STUDY CAUSES
It will be within the scope of such a foundation to investigate and study the cause of living conditions, including the poor, the aged, the blind, the deaf, the insane, and the feeble-minded, and to suggest how the conditions can be relieved or ameliorated and put into operation any appropriate means to that end.

It will also be within the scope of such a foundation to establish any new agency necessary to carry out any of its conclusion, and equally to contribute to the resources of any existing agency which is doing efficient and satisfactory work.

SCOPE IS BROAD
While its scope is broad it should be preferable not to add to it what is now being done or is likely to be effectively done by other and older organizations. It will be limited to the larger and more difficult problems and take them up insofar as possible in such a manner as to secure co-operation and aid in the solution. In some instances, it may be necessary to move into the field of the operation of having them maintain themselves unaided after being started.

In other instances it may start other movements. In the expectation of carrying this plan into effect, income will be used for its charitable purposes because the foundation is to be permanent and its action continuous. It may, however, take investments for social betterment which themselves produce income.

NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS
While having headquarters in New York City where Mr. Sage and I have lived and where social problems are most pressing and complicated, partly by reason of the great numbers of immigrants, it is the port of entry for about 1,000,000 immigrants a year, the foundation will be national in its scope and in its activities.

I have sought to select as my trustees men and women who are familiar with social problems and who can bring to their solution not only zeal and interest but experience and judgment.

TRUSTEES SELECTED
The persons named as Mrs. Sage's trustees are: Robert W. DeForest, chairman of the New York State Tenement House Commission of 1900 and later tenement house commissioner of the City of New York; Cleveland Dodge, chairman of the Red Cross Society New York; Daniel C. Gilman, president of Johns Hopkins University and first vice-president of the Carnegie Institute; John M. O'Shea, Miss Helen Gould, well-known for her generous benefactions and lifelong friend of Mrs. Sage; Mrs. William Bryce, president of the State Charities Aid Association of New York; Miss Louise L. Schuyler, one of the officers of the New York State Christian Aid Association.

BORN A SLAVE ASPIRES HIGH

Negro Candidate for Mayor in Kansas City Says He Will Win.

KANSAS CITY, March 13.—Joshua Wallace Voorhies, a negro, filed a petition signed by 678 members of his race with the city clerk in Kansas City, Kansas yesterday asking that his name be placed upon the ballot for mayor upon the Independent ticket to be voted at the coming municipal election.

Voorhies was born a slave in Nashville just before the close of the Civil War. He has been a member of the police force and a deputy street commissioner, and now is in business for himself.

Do you expect to win? was asked of Voorhies.

Sure I do. Wouldn't have entered the race if I hadn't. No man ever lost yet that I backed for office. I can push myself in the same way.

REMAINS NOW LIE IN STATE

Services Are Held Over Body of Late Rev. Father Scott.

The remains of the late Rev. Father Scott were removed from Providence Hospital this morning to St. Francis de Sales church. A number of priests from the neighboring parishes had assembled after the requiem masses were celebrated and met the body at the door of the church. The sisters and children of the parochial schools and many sorrowing friends formed the procession.

The Rev. Father McGueen, assisted by Fathers Clifford Cantwell, Stack and Long, recited the prayers of the ritual and the rosary.

The body now lies in state before the altar. This evening at 7 o'clock the obsequies will be held. The divine office will be sung by Sisters P. O. Sullivan and M. J. Clifford will be chanters.

The solemn requiem high mass will commence tomorrow at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father McGueen will celebrate. Rev. M. J. Clifford, deacon. Rev. A. Butler, sub-deacon. Rev. W. J. Butler, cantor. Rev. Father McGueen will preach.

COFFEE KING IS A QUITTER

Angered at Government He Tells Wyoming Manager to Sell P. O. Ranch.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 13.—John Arbuckle, the New York coffee king, has ordered the manager of the big "P. O." ranch containing 55,000 acres and lying north of this city, to sell the ranch at once together with the stock, which consists of \$125,000 worth of cattle and horses.

The sale is due to the recent action of the Government in forcing Arbuckle to tear down forty-five miles of fences erected on Government lands and in the absence of a land leasing law Arbuckle has no place to range his live stock. Arbuckle has been offered \$300,000 for the property.

A FAIR CATCH
So strongly had the theory and practice of ambidexterity appealed to the bourgeois and freemen of Nashville that they called a meeting to urge the necessity of bringing up children to use both left and right hands with equal facility.

I defy any one in this audience to mention a single action that I can perform with my right hand which I can not do equally well with my left hand, cried one of the speakers.

There was a short pause and then a voice at the back of the hall cried: "Try putting it in your right hand trousers pocket, guv'nor!"—London Queen.

CONTRACTORS ARE INJURED

Two Men Struck By Cars On Broadway Taken to Hospital.

Two contractors were injured by Broadway trolley cars this morning. The first to be taken to the Receiving Hospital was J. H. McGregor, a contractor residing at 748 Sixth street. Caught between two cars, he holding himself up he escaped with only a scalp wound and a badly bruised left leg.

McGregor had no more than left the operating room than a fellow worker, O. P. Johnson, was brought in. Johnson who lives at 112 Eighth street attempted to go around the stop on a San Pablo avenue car on Broadway between Eighth and Ninth streets when an approaching car knocked him down. He sustained a fracture of the right foot.

WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS
Wilton Lackaye says that while on a downtown L train one morning recently he chanced to overhear portions of an interesting conversation between two young women occupying adjoining seats.

I see by the paper observed one never hear of one unless he is dying.

WHO WOULD'NT DO THE SAME?

Ohio Officials Blamed For Running Away When Court Was Ready For Trial.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 13.—The sensational disappearance of Charles E. Barr, one of the members of the board of public service, indicted for bribery, has led to years that he has committed suicide.

Judge Evans today set the time for the trial of the indicted man for tomorrow. Edward Moriarty, former secretary of the city board of health indicted for embezzlement, is also missing.

A CITY SONNET.

After the storm is over
After the roar and the rush
Muck and mire on the crossings
Sleeping around in the slush
—Baltimore Sun

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SCALY ERUPTIONS COVERED HIS BODY

Itched Constantly—Scratched Until Blood Flowed—Suffered 10 Years—Doctors and Medicines Were Fruitless—Tries Cuticura and Is Completely Cured

BY THREE BOXES OF CUTICURA OINTMENT

"When I was about nine years old small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctor in my native country advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then read to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used other remedies such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, etc. I then read of Cuticura and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used Cuticura Soap and it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least \$50 to \$60 in vainly endeavoring to find a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak. Aug. 18, 1908."



of the young women, that Mr. Blank the octogenarian is dead. What of earth is an octogenarian anyhow? I don't know I'm sure was the reply but there's one thing certain—they're a sickly lot of people. You told us that the world's Potter Drug & Chem. Corp. sold the world's most famous skin and blood purifier, Cuticura Soap and Ointment, in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used Cuticura Soap and it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least \$50 to \$60 in vainly endeavoring to find a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak. Aug. 18, 1908."

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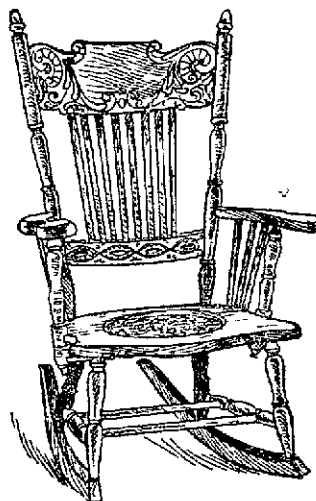
The Doctor comes occasionally, the cook is here all the time.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

THE BIG LITTLE STORE AROUND THE CORNER

CULLIGAN'S

MANUFACTURER'S AGENT



Special for Tomorrow Thursday, Only

Cobbler Seat
Oak Rocker \$1.10 Each

Regular \$3.50 Value

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.

467 Ninth Street

Bet. Broadway and Washington
"JUST AROUND THE CORNER."

Webster

PERFECT LIKENESS — 1114 WASHINGTON STREET
Photographs

This Week
Marvel Spray Syringes
The kind that's advertised
at \$3.50
\$2.25

Bowman & Co.
Make Drug Prices in Oakland

This Week
Mennen's Talcum
9c

Drug prices are lower in Oakland than in Los Angeles or San Francisco—in fact, any city on the coast. If it wasn't for BOWMAN & Co. this would not be so. Our clerks get better hours—our customers get better drugs and better drug store goods. We appreciate the support given our Sunday closing. Our clerks appreciate it. They enjoy being off on Sunday, the day when every one else is at rest. We always have a registered man on hand day or night to fill prescriptions and urgent orders.

Special Prices This Week

These prices are at the store. No specials delivered or sent C. O. D.
It will pay you to take advantage of them.

Turkish Towels 19c

A fine large white towel sold regularly at 25 cents and extra value at the regular price

Duffy's Malt 69c

We buy a hundred cases at a time. Of course we don't make much at this price.

Bowman's White Pine, 25c size, 17c

This is a household remedy that we sell thousands of bottles yearly. It is easy to take and quick to cure.

Toilet Paper, four packages . . . 25c

This is our regular three for 25c. Four packages this week.

Eaton Hurlbut's Stationery, 35c box 27c

It will pay you to make note of this special when you consider that our 35c stationery is sold in most stores at 50c.

Rubber Combs, regular 25c . . . 19c

This is an exceptional comb at 25c. We sell worlds of combs. It's because we give good value.

Emery Boards 6c

The regular 10c kind.

Robinson's Barley 19c

Large size sold regularly at 25c.

Lithia Tablets, 5 grain regular 25c 17c

Taken dissolved in water for kidney trouble.

Remember

You can save money at Bowman's and get fresh and genuine patent medicines always

Denatured Alcohol

One of the greatest accomplishments of the Roosevelt administration has been the removal of the Revenue Tax on Alcohol to be used in the Arts. Denatured Alcohol is superior to Wood Alcohol for Burning and Mechanical uses. 20c pint. This is our first shipment. This price will probably be reduced later.

Bowman & Co.

DRUGGISTS

Main Store Cor. 13th & Broadway

Berkeley, 2112 Center St. East Oakland, Cor. 19th Ave. and East 14th St.

Electric Batteries

WE CARRY THE BEST LINE OF THESE GOODS AND SELL THEM 20 PER CENT LOWER THAN MOST STORES. WE ARE ALSO HEAD-QUARTERS FOR ELECTRIC STOCKINGS AND ABDOMINAL BELTS.

SAY STREETS NEED REPAIRS

Sewers Also Said to Be in Unhealthy Condition—Fear Disease.

The petition of the property owners and residents of Fourteenth avenue from Twelfth street to Railroad avenue for the repairing of the street was referred to the Superintendent of Streets by the Board of Works with power to act today.

The petitioners claim that the Erie Construction Company has been hauling heavy gum trees over the street and as a result the street bed is badly cut up.

They also say that the water course is stopped as a result of the bad condition of the streets and that the sewers are in an unsanitary condition as a result of the bad condition of the streets, and the residents fear sickness will cause disease in the neighborhood.

BILLS JUST SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—Governor Gillett has signed the following bills: By Mr. Carter, relating to fees to be charged by the register of the State land office.

By Mr. Thompson relating to the issue of bonds for the support of county schools.

Bill appropriating \$10,000 to pay delinquencies for street of criminals outside the State. This is to pay the Higgins claims.

PETITIONERS TO GET AN ELECTRIC LIGHT

The Board of Works granted the petition of property holders in the neighborhood of Sixty-third and Dana streets for an electric light at the intersection of the streets named.

FIREMAN RESIGNS ON ACCOUNT OF HEALTH

V. Cavallo's resignation as driver of Truck No. 3 of the Oakland Fire Department was accepted by the Board of Works today. It was the cause assigned for the resignation.

GIVEN PERMISSION TO ERECT BIG TENT

The petition of N. E. Whalen to erect a tent on the east side of Broadway between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets was granted by the Board of Public Works today.

SELECTING TOPICS ON PLAYGROUND

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Since the agitation for a playground for the children was started Librarian Graves has selected a number of articles on the subject and placed them where the patrons of the library can find them for easy reference. The following is a list of the articles:

Children's Playgrounds Municipal Affairs V. 2 292
City Playgrounds — Independent, June 25 1906
Summer Playgrounds Chautauquan V. 37 478
Pittsburg's Experience With Playgrounds Chautauquan V. 36 187
Playground Education Educational Review V. 22 419
Play and Playgrounds Chautauquan V. 40 470
Playground City Review of Reviews V. 32 574
Public Playgrounds Harpers Week V. March 17, 1906 356
System of Public Playgrounds Chautauquan V. 48 352
Playgrounds for City Schools (J. A. Rife) Century V. 26 647
Public Playgrounds for Children 19th Century V. 34 267
City Playgrounds St. Nicholas V. 13 699

MRS. W. T. BURNS



Mrs. W. T. Burns of Memphis, Tenn., who is national press correspondent of the W. C. Times, I caught a severe cold which it seemed impossible for me to get rid of. I became much run-down, lost my appetite and flesh and felt nervous and irritable. Vinol was recommended and certainly worked wonders for me. It increased my appetite and cured my cough and nervousness. I consider Vinol a wonderful remedy.

A B. Speech of the Owl Drug Co. says: Many people high here in Oakland are in just her condition—all run-down, hardly able to drag about, don't know what ails them. This is probably caused by a cold or cough which is hard to cure, overwork or too close confinement to business and such people need Vinol.

Vinol is not a patent medicine but contains the most medicinal elements found in fresh cod-livers with all the useless oil eliminated and tonic iron added.

We ask every run-down nervous debilitated aged or weak person in Oakland and every person suffering from stomach colds, hanging-on coughs, bronchitis or incipient consumption to try Vinol on our guarantee. It costs nothing if it fails to give satisfaction. The Owl Drug Co. corner Thirteenth and Broadway.

Note—While we are sole agents for Vinol in Oakland it is now for sale at the leading drug store in nearly every town and city in the country. Look for the Vinol agency in your town.

FASTIDIOUS WOMEN
consider Paxtine Toilet Antiseptic a necessity in the hygienic care of the person and for local treatment of feminine ills. As a wash it cleanses, germicidal, deodorizing and healing qualities are extraordinary. For sale at Druggists. Sample free. Address: The R. Paxton Co., Boston, Mass.



ELZA SZAMOSY
as Madam Butterfly in Henry W. Savage's English Grand Opera Company, "Madam Butterfly" at the Macdonough Theater Thursday night

EITHER PEACE OR EXTINCTION

Russian Drum Head Court-martials Execute an Average of Five Daily.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 12.—Statistics published today regarding the drumhead court martial show that up to March 5 when their activity was suspended 764 persons were executed. An average of almost five daily. The majority of the executions occurred in Poland and the Baltic provinces.

STUDENTS ARE GOOD EDITORS

BERKELEY, March 12.—Some excellent engineering articles are contained in the second issue of this year of the Journal of Technology published by the students of Applied Science at the University which appeared on the campus this morning. Several good articles are included between the two covers.

The leading article on Reinforced Concrete Design and Construction was written for the fourth by W. F. Day, C. E. and now an associate engineer with J. B. Leonard or of the foremost construction engineers on the coast. Mr. Day gives the latest developments in practical construction. Dr. Benj. P. Kutt of the English department contributes an excellent article on Expository Composition in the Colleges of Applied Science. Other articles are: Woodpile Method of Construction and Use by Ralph B. Lloyd; 98 Harsam Pavement by W. A. Lull; Application of Mechanical Draft to Stationary Boilers by Walter B. Snow; Engineer his Scope and Qualifications by John Hays Hammond; The academic interest department has been considerably enlarged and includes many items of interest.

Editor Harry Hall has made the following appointments to his staff: Mechanics department R. A. Lind; Mining department R. W. Smith; Chemistry department E. O. Slater.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Journal held yesterday, H. H. Ramsden was elected to succeed Al Wilder as manager. Ramsden has appointed T. Steele as advertising manager.

A committee composed of H. M. Hall, C. H. Ramsden and H. Hubbard was appointed to draft amendments to the present Journal constitution. A meeting of the stockholders is called for next Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. in Journal office. It is urged that all stockholders be present as important matters are to be considered.

**SPECIAL OFFICERS
ARE APPOINTED**
Permission for appointment as special officers were granted to the following today by the Police Commissioners: Ed McGuirk, 6 East Thirteenth street; C. H. Hunt, 610 East Eleventh; George E. Hinge, 1818 L. M. St.; G. R. Goddard, 1818 L. M. St.; 145 Eleventh street.

**PETITION DENIED
TO MOVE HOUSE**
The petition of H. H. Henderson to move a one-story frame house from the north side of Thirteenth and Eleventh streets to Eleventh and Oak streets was denied by the Board of Public Works today.

**TWO-STORY BUILDING
IS TO BE REMOVED**
The petition of H. Maloon to move a two-story building from the northwest corner of Seventh and Filbert streets to the opposite corner was granted by the Board of Works today.

**BOARD APPOINTS
NEW PARK GARDNER**
Robert Nunnemacher was appointed a park gardener by the Board of Public Works today at a salary of \$80 per month.

Petitions to allow electric signs to be hung by Detroit & N. York at 188 Seventh street and by the English street theater on Eleventh street between Broadway and Franklin street, were granted by the board.

HAPPENINGS OF RICHMOND

City Trustees Hold a Tame Meeting—Street Signs Are to Be Bought

RICHMOND, March 12.—The meeting of the Board of City Trustees last evening was a very tame affair, but very little business of importance being transacted.

A communication from the Master Plumbers Association requesting that the passage of the ordinance regulating plumbing in the city of Richmond be postponed was read and the request was granted. Further discussion upon certain sections of the proposed ordinance is requested by the plumbers and they were granted a hearing on next Thursday evening.

JAIL CAGES

Trustee Nystrom reported that he had conferred with the Standard Oil officers relative to the construction of jail cages for the city and that the officers had promised to assist the city with them. Nystrom reported also that he had secured nearly all the signatures necessary for the construction of additional sewer on the east side.

Ordinance No. 87 providing rules for the governing of the Board of Health was read by the clerk and, on motion was adopted.

The City Clerk was instructed to get a written opinion from the City Attorney in reference to the city's authority in purchasing a park site.

Trustee Nystrom reported that owners of the slaughter house near the Herman tract had decided to abandon the same in deference to the wishes of the residents in that section.

STREET SIGNS.

Bids from the Directory Publishing Company through their agent, M. Cohn, for putting up street signs in Richmond were read. Mr. Cohn offered to place 650 street signs covering the entire town for the sum of \$180. The bids were accepted and the work will be commenced at once. The bills for the current week were allowed the board adjourned.

This evening the members of Volunteer Fire Company No. 1 will entertain the members of Volunteer Company No. 2 and the members of the Board of City Trustees at the fire house with a smoker and entertainment.

The members of the Pioneer Club are planning a splendid time at a grand ball to be given this evening at Montebello's hall.

OTHER CITY NEWS.

The Point Richmond Rochdale Company has been sold to Mrs. R. Chase and will hereafter be conducted in her name.

John Q. Black, who has for several years conducted the business of the Richmond Supply Company, has decided to leave the city and has accepted a position as freight agent on the Petaluma and Santa Rosa electric road. He has resigned his position with that company and taken up his duties with the Southern Pacific in San Francisco.

A GREAT ARTERY OF TRANSPORTATION

The Mexican isthmus route inaugurated under such auspicious circumstances last week is entering upon its career as a great artery in the transportation of the world with a volume of business surpassing to the imagination and living up to the expectations of the men who have had a hand in the creation of the facilities the value of which will not be long in becoming known to shippers.

Since the first car of freight was sailed by President Diaz and sent across the isthmus of Tehuantepec there has been a constant movement both ways from Hawaii brought by the Arizona going north to Puerto Mexico (Coutasacoles) and reshipped aboard the general cargo brought from New York by the latter steamer going south to be carried to American Pacific ports by the Arizona.

Neither has there been delay in the arrival of other steamers. The Carolyn from New York having arrived at Puerto Mexico (Coutasacoles) the day following the departure of the inaugural train, bringing a full cargo for American Pacific ports. On the Pacific side the Arizona has been followed by the Nebraska, a 4,000-ton vessel bringing sugar from Honolulu.

Beside the steamers of the American Hawaiian Steamship company, when the inaugural ceremonies were held in Puerto Mexico there were in the harbor two other large steamers, the Louisiana, of the Leyland line and the Dictator, of the Harrison line. Laying in the river also were two Russian barques of ancient pattern which brought cargoes of coal from England.

RUN TO TRAIN COSTS A LIFE

Pedestrian Run Down by Automobile of General Superintendent Ingram.

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—When R. H. Ingram, general superintendent of the Southern Pacific Railroad was dashing east on Fifth street in an automobile to catch a train last night, the motor struck Frank O. Beamer of 708 1/2 East Fifth street, at Ruth avenue and fatally injured him. Under the supervision of Mr. Ingram he was removed to the Emergency hospital where he died today.

Beamer had just alighted from a Fifth street car, and was walking toward the sidewalk when the automobile struck him. He was thrown with great violence. W. P. Young, driver of the automobile, saw Beamer, but not in time to stop the motor. Mr. Ingram alighted from the machine and assisted in the care of the injured man until he was taken to the hospital.

EIGHTH ST. PROPERTY TITLE IS CONVEYED

Title was conveyed by the Moffatt Estate Company to the brick building on the north side of Eighth street, between Broadway and Washington street to E. A. Whitaker, an extensive local owner and a recent resident of East Lake City. The building is occupied by the Layman Real Estate Company. The deal was consummated through the office of George W. Austin, the seller being represented by the Hayden-Weiss Company. The following marriage licenses have been issued:

BIG FIRE RENDERS 2000 HOMELESS

MILAN, March 12.—In the town of Borsano near this city 2000 persons were today rendered homeless by a fire which destroyed the greater part of the village. The people were indifferent to the spread of the flames, because their property was insured, and the authorities were obliged to force peasants to work to check the fire.

NOTED BATON WIELDER MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—Fritz Schell, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra well known in America and in Europe died here today after a month's illness.

HARVARD OVERSEERS WILL HAVE FOOTBALL

BOSTON, March 12.—The Harvard Overseers today decided in favor of a continuance of the intercollegiate athletics including football at the university under certain restrictions.

Let us have your good will—Schilling's Best

DAVIS' PLAY PLEASES ALL

"Soldiers of Fortune" Well Received by Large Audience at Ye Liberty.

"The Soldiers of Fortune," a dramatized version of Richard Harding Davis' novel by Augustus Thomas, is drawing large houses at Ye Liberty Theater this week. The work can scarcely be called an American drama, although the authors are. It is American in as much as it reflects American character and there is hope for our possessing a national drama when such works are as successfully played to American audiences.

Hope Langham, the character essayed by Frances Slosson, might have been a Native Daughter of the Golden West. Alice Langham, her sister, is a type of a Boston girl with a Pittsburg education. The Robert Clay and Teddy Langham roles, carried respectively by Franklin Underwood and George Friend, are typical Yankees.

PLOT IS GOOD.

The plot is good and the lines clever, although the original story loses much in the process of dramatization. Good novels always do unless dramatized by the author.

Frances Slosson and Franklin Underwood carry the honors of the piece. Mrs. Slosson is brilliant in the role of Hope Langham, and Underwood, with the typical sang froid of the Yankee, makes an excellent Robert Clay. George Cooper, as Alice Langham, a difficult role, does good character acting. The work of Ben McQuarrie, as the young English duke, is very crude. Henry Auerbach, as Captain Burke, an Irish American merchant, gives an interpretation, the correctness of which may be left to the taste of the critic. I don't like it. It seems unnatural, but I cannot picture it different. George P. Webster, Landers Stevens and Isabelle Fletcher also do justice to their roles.

PLAY WELL STAGED.

The production is admirably staged, under the direction of George Friend, who deserves a large share of credit for its success. Mr. Friend also fills in an admirable manner the role of Teddy Langham.

MACKAY SUTHERLAND

Stop Drinking!

Orrine Will Destroy all Desire for Whiskey or Beer.

A Michigan Druggist, H. G. Coleman, has made a thorough study of various cures for a liquor habit and gives results as a result of his investigations. Before taking the agency of Orrine, I went to a considerable trouble to learn about it and became confident that it was a thoroughly honest preparation and put out by a reliable firm.

Write for free book on the cure of alcoholism to the Orrine Co., Washington, D. C. Mailed sealed Orrine costs but \$1 per box.

Orrine is sold and guaranteed by Owl Drug Co. 18th and Broadway.

POLICE RIDE; PEOPLE WALK

All Because the Street Car Strike in Louisville Cannot Be Settled.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 12.—No improvement was shown this morning in the strike situation. Discomfort was added to inconvenience and the citizens with the novelty of the strike worn off, walked to their places of business through a heavy rain. The street railway company started four cars at 8 o'clock, the first one out carrying fourteen policemen.

The company promised to increase the number hourly if they can induce the men they claim to have to take charge of the cars. Through the intervention of various commercial organizations in the city a meeting of the directors of the street railway company will be held this afternoon in an attempt to reach a settlement of the strike.

CITY ELECTRICIAN TO INVESTIGATE

The resolution of the City Council requesting the People's Water Company of Oakland, Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company and the telephone companies to lay down pipes conduits, etc., on East Fourteenth street from Twenty-fourth avenue to the eastern

TO ENTERTAIN SEATTLE MEN

Chamber of Commerce to Show Oakland's Advantages to Visitors.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce are well pleased over the death of the harbor bill. At a meeting yesterday afternoon they adopted resolutions extending the appreciation of the Chamber to Mayor Mott, City Attorney McElroy and members of the City Council for their efforts against the passage of the bill.

The Chamber also plan to entertain the members of the Seattle Commercial Club, who will arrive in Oakland next Tuesday. The following committee was appointed to take charge of the annual banquet, to be held in April: John Charles Adams, H. C. Capwell, Theodore Cier, John Mitchell, Bernard P. Miller, E. H. Horton, and Charles J. Heeseman.

FIRST RACE.
Orens, 109 (Kosner), 2-5, 3-4, 1-4.
Love of Gold, 114 (L. Williams), 2-5, 3-5, 3-5.
Albia, 109 (Brown), 2-5, 3-4, 1-4.
Time, '55 4-8.

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One Richardson, original price \$350—To close out.....	\$150.00
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One Fisher.....	\$125.00
One Fisher, mahogany case, practically new.....	\$230.00
One Weber, large size.....	\$ 85.00
One \$600 Reed & Sons, slightly shop worn.....	\$295.00
One Chickering.....	\$125.00
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One Best Ludwig.....	\$ 95.00
One the only original Decker Bros., fine condition.....	\$165.00
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Specially rich designs in new Dresden and Persians.

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Would Credit Be Convenient?
We welcome all responsible people on our book. Call at the office.

The Days of Preparation

---for the becoming Easter toilette

Let's get our heads together, this week especially, regarding that part of your Spring and Easter attire that requires preparation.

At the last moment it is possible to get such accessories as Gloves, Parasol, Neckwear, Ribbons, Hosiery and similar things. But the neat-fitting costume, whether tailored or of pretty wash material; the hat that is just right in set and trimming; the coat that will need a little fixing—these are things that should be attended to at once.

English Piccadilly Suits and Coats

---the latest vogue for misses and young ladies

English in cut and style, these "Piccadilly" garments are not at all extreme. Fashioned in strict accordance with the newest imported models that London is now exploiting, they are made of the most stylish materials with the result that there are few other garments so invariably becoming and which so enhance the charm of a graceful figure.

There are appropriate styles for the city, mountain or seashore, traveling, automobilizing, walking or any outdoor exercise requiring freedom of action.

Spring's Newest Millinery

These are pre-eminently Millinery and we believe our showing of meritorious Hats is pre-eminent among all the other displays to which you are invited at this season.

That's our judgment and it is pleasing to hear many of our critical visitors endorse it.

The showing is now at its best; there is something to satisfy the tastes of all, we repeat, satisfied. It has been carefully selected, hat by hat, shape by shape, trimming by trimming, from the best of the world affords, and it has been priced according to its worth, not according to the purse-possibilities.

Children's White Dresses

The early spring White Dresses are here and offer good choice for a confirmation dress of exclusive style.

Novelties in pretty frocks of lawn and organdie. **\$1.25 to \$5.00**

Smart Net Dresses, **\$5.95, \$7.50 and to \$15**

At \$2.50—Lawn dress, sizes 4 to 14 years; deep bertha trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion with yoke of lace, full skirt, deep hem.

At \$5.95—Beautiful Net Dress with full skirt, trimmed with four rows of satin ribbon; bertha trimmed with Valenciennes lace and satin ribbon, fancy yoke of lace and narrow ribbon; deep drop skirt of organdie.

More pretty white dresses for incoming children and misses are arriving daily.

SEE THIS PRETTY SUIT

It is one of the most striking of the "Piccadilly" models. Glance at each detail.—Note the general effect; is comes in solid colors and in several strictly English plaids and checks.

An appropriate "Piccadilly" Suit is here for misses and young ladies up to 20 years of age.

The styles embrace Pony and Eton suits specially adapted for Spring and Summer wear.

Each season these "Piccadilly" Suits become more popular with young ladies who wish to appear sensibly and fashionably dressed.

In price these suits range from

\$13.50 to \$25

See This Stylish Coat

—it is a style of which we are particularly proud. It shows the wearer to be a person of taste and judgment.

Fabric, finish and cut all go to make it one of the most pleasing and satisfying coats of the season.

To be had in small or bold checks and plaids, Spring's latest novelties in cream effects and also in broadcloths.

Just as attractive in price as in appearance.

\$7.50 to \$20.00

Children's "Piccadilly" Coats, sizes 4 to 14—price **\$6.25 to \$10.50**

OAKLAND	A.D.	225,000
BERKELEY	1907	35,000
ALAMEDA		25,000
SUBURBS		15,000

The Business Side of Religion.

What promises to be a bitter fight has begun in the courts over the temporal possessions, copyrights, profits, etc., derived by Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy from her apostolic calling as the founder and directing head of the Christian Science church. Mrs. Eddy is old and is said to be very feeble, she has amassed a large property as the result of her labors in the cause of religion, virtue and humanity, and the copyrights on her numerous books relating to and giving the law of the faith she has founded yield large annual returns. Her son, who has a far greater respect for the wealth she has acquired than for her religious pretensions, is seeking to have a guardian appointed for his mother and her estate. This effort is being stoutly resisted by the followers of Mrs. Eddy, who deny that she is infirm of mind and body or incapable of managing her own affairs.

The contest over Mrs. Eddy's property recalls the battle so fiercely waged for the priestly office and secular goods of the late John Alexander Dowie, founder of Zion City and the reincarnated Elijah of the Christian Catholic church. In Mrs. Eddy's case the fight is solely for the control of the emoluments of her ministry and the profits hereafter to be derived from the copyrights on the text-books of the Christian Science faith, but the struggle in Zion was not only to wrest the control of the property Dowie had acquired from his followers in one way or another, but to thrust him from the office of prophet, to which he had been nominated by God.

The old adage that man proposes but God disposes was reversed in this instance, for Dowie's followers divested him of the authority that was his by divine right, and also seized upon the property and revenues which he administered as the Lord's anointed.

After the assassination of Joseph Smith and his brother Hyrum in Carthage jail there was a great internal struggle in the Mormon church over the succession to the office of "prophet, priest and revelator." As usual in such cases, the voice of men determined the will of God, and Brigham Young, being abler, shrewder and more unscrupulous than his rivals, became the prophet and business head of the Mormon church. The choice was a wise one from the Mormon point of view, for Brigham Young was a master spirit and proved himself one of the greatest men of his age. He not only established the religion founded by Joseph Smith on an enduring foundation, but he founded a mighty commonwealth in the wilderness, built a highly civilized state with the crudest material in the heart of an isolated desert.

Whatever one may think of his claim to have been inspired of God, it must be conceded that he was at once a statesman, an administrator and a captain of industry without a superior in the world's history. He took a new religion, founded by an illiterate village loafer, based upon a tissue of absurdities and stained with the vice of concubinage, when it was in the throes of dissolution, and planted it firmly among the established faiths of mankind. He led a small band of dispirited, ignorant and impoverished followers into a desolate land remote from civilization and welded them into a compact social, religious, political and industrial organization that remains to this day a mighty unbroken force. He founded a civil polity, created a system of irrigation, instituted industrial communism, built railroads, temples, colleges, and died leaving the people over whom he had ruled prosperous and contented. He made the church one of the most successful business organizations in this or any other country.

Will a successor of power, grasp and political genius to either Mrs. Eddy or John A. Dowie develop from the ranks of Christian Scientists or Christian Catholics? Time alone can tell. As a rule new religions decline and finally perish after the death of their founders. The exceptions are few. Jesus, Mahomet, Gautama and Joseph Smith most readily occur as examples of religious teachers whose doctrines have persisted and expanded after the founders passed away.

When Jesus ended His ministry on the cross there was no contention as to who should succeed to his mantle and authority. There was no estate for the lawyers to battle over. The faith He taught was not copyrighted, nor was its ministry one of emolument to be bought and paid for. His church consisted of a handful of poor fishermen and the peasantry of an oppressed land. Those who accepted His teaching faced persecution, privation and ignominy—the rack, the dungeon and the stake. The crown of martyrdom was all that His followers could hope for. But it is different in Zion and Concord and Salt Lake City. There is money in the business and no earthly torments to be encountered. Hence the rivalry of would-be prophets and the activity of lawyers. It is far safer and more profitable to be a prophet now than it was in the old days. Even Joseph Smith found the trade rather risky. But Dowie and Mrs. Eddy have met nothing worse than a bailiff with court writs.

A recent magazine article charges that the explosion on the gunboat Bennington was due to the growth of caste in the American navy. There is undoubtedly a strong caste spirit in the naval service, but it is a mere assumption that the Bennington disaster is chargeable to it. However, the American navy has never met with such terrible mishaps—if we except the Maine—as the one on the French battleship Jena. In respect to fatal accidents our navy has fared far better than the navies of either England or France. The German navy alone has a better record than ours, so far as public information goes, but it must be borne in mind that the German government suppresses as nearly as it can all news of an unfavorable character regarding the army and navy.

The Assembly showed good sense in voting down the ridiculous pordieroso bill to dismiss the San Francisco relief committee and create an official commission to take charge of the funds and work of that organization. The bill was of doubtful constitutionality and more than doubtful expediency. Its purpose had no justification in sound public policy, while the influences back of the measure have no claim to respect. It was proposed to carry the quarrels and scandals of the relief work into politics to embarrass and annoy public officials and create pretexts for political action along lines having no relation to the public welfare.

THE GREAT TRANSCONTINENTAL RACE—ALTHOUGH CARRYING WEIGHT, THE TAFT BOOM KEEPS AHEAD.



San Francisco Taking a Hand.

A citizen has just handed into this office a printed circular urging him to vote against the annexation of Fruitvale, Elmhurst and Melrose to Oakland. It is noteworthy for two reasons. It is anonymous and is printed in San Francisco, which would indicate that the anti-annexation campaign is being conducted from San Francisco and by interests more hostile to Oakland than friendly to Fruitvale. The circular bears all the earmarks of having originated in jealous antagonism to Oakland's growth and welfare, and not in any desire to promote the public interest. Some of its alleged arguments have a familiar ring, reminding one of the recent shouts in Berkeley denouncing municipal consolidation on this side of the bay and advising annexation to San Francisco. The people of this city have not intermeddled in the domestic concerns of the city across the bay, and they have a right to demand that San Francisco keep hands off Oakland's affairs. Anonymous circulars against annexation printed in San Francisco and circulated from that city are really arguments in favor of annexation. In the first place they are evidence of a dog-in-the-manger jealousy of Oakland, and in the second, show their sinister purpose by their irresponsible character. The circular calls Oakland a poorly governed city. It is as well governed as any city in California. The man who would exchange the government of this city for the kind of government that San Francisco enjoys—or writhes under—must be weak in his upper story. The man who believes the most efficient municipal administration is the product of parochial government is either a hopeless mossback or a person who has read the lessons of experience backward.

Now for the annexation election. Let the watchword be consolidation and a Greater Oakland. It is absurd that a single urban community having a common interest should be cut up into parochial divisions which frustrate unity of purpose and the harmonious development of the whole.

President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University announces that President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for a third term. As Mr. Roosevelt has made the same announcement at least a dozen times, President Butler's disclaimer was hardly necessary.

ACRES
of
PEAS

CANNED
ON
THE SPOT

Just peas! Think of it—three thousand acres of them, requiring an army to cultivate them, another army to harvest them, and sending out the product to thousands of people all over the world! Truly an agricultural novelty, is this, at Longmont, Colo., where demand and opportunity have joined hands to create the world's greatest bed of this useful little vegetable. And the handling of this crop illustrates a new movement toward specialization in farming.

The system is complete. At a central point in this vast pea-garden is an immense cannery, the capacity of which is sixteen thousand cans per hour. Every pea in the big bed is within a radius of four miles of this cannery.

THERE is no reaction from Scott's Emulsion. Tonics may lift you up but after discontinuing them you drop back.

Scott's Emulsion is the "tonic-food" that lifts you up to perfect health and keeps you there.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00.

NEWS For the Curious

In Tokio, Japan, 8000 people wanting telephones are constantly on the waiting list.

A New York store contains 3000 different barks, roots and berries, all imported from China.

The eyeball of the mole can be projected forward several times its own diameter, and retracted.

The red crescent of Turkey takes the place of the red cross as a hospital symbol.

Mountains in Syria consist chiefly of cardies made of bees' wax.

Alaska, with but 20,000 of white population, is said to be an ideal place for farmers and fishermen.

The longest authenticated balloon flight is 225 miles, made by Dr. J. F. Thomas and wife.

King Edward VII purposes to restore Camaron Castle, built 700 years ago.

In June, 1906, the United States imported 102,118 barrels of cement; \$36 barrels were exported.

In a survey between Chicago and St. Louis an error of only one-half inch was made.

HERE WE LAUGH

Cubwagger—"Several millionaires have written their opinions as to how to make a fortune."
Merritt—"I read that article. The funny thing is that not one of them advised following the plan by which he got rich himself."

Mr. Persimmons—"Vais, Jim took de 'jack-pot.' Pete only had four aces."
Mr. Possumus—"An' what did Jim have?"
Mr. Persimmons—"Jim? Well, Jim had a wife an' five children, an' needed de money, an' so he done reenforced his hand wid two razors."

"So you will guide me to a place of amusement tonight if I give you a dime?"
"Yep. Me mudder says dere'll be a circus at our house ter-nite; if de old man comes home drunk."

"Do fishes grow up fast, Jimmie?"
"Some of 'em does. Pop caught one here last year that grows 'tree inches every time he tells about it."

The Boy—"Omet a feller give me a tub uv ice-cream an' a whole barrel uv likerish-drops an' a hatful uv jelly-cake."
The Girl—"An' wha'd yer do?"
The Boy—"I fell outer bed, an' bumped me head somethin' awful."

"I stand just where I stood four years ago," says Colonel Bryan. That was just outside the White House gate—Omaha Bee.

"So Mr. and Mrs. Jones have quarreled? Why doesn't she make up?"
"She does, dreadfully. That's why they quarreled."

Editor (of a new paper)—"Have you seen our last number yet?"
Post (who has just had a sheaf of sonnets rejected)—"No; but I expect to in about a month."

Farmer—"Clear out! you cheated me like the mischief the last time you was here."
Peddler—"Well, den's der gudsmeers I don'd like to lose, so I called again."

"Shall I," asked little Bessie, "ever be as old as grandma?"
"Yes, dear, if you live," replied her uncle, "but you'll never admit it."

"You look tired."
"Yes, my wife heard yesterday that I had the fastest stenographer in town, and it has taken me all night to explain."

The TRAVELERS' TALES

CAUGHT THE FISH.

It was while Morgan Ross was chatting with him that this story, founded on a tradition of old Italy, came to the surface. Ross was showing him through departments of the Hotel del Coronado, that giant hostelry so close to San Diego. The twain entered the vast kitchen and Landlord Ross called attention to the fact that no odor could be detected that would offend the most sensitive nostrils. Then a trip was taken to the bar-room where an aged New York millionaire was gleefully exhibiting eighteen dollars that he had won from the Kalamazoo machine, an enticing gambling contrivance operated by a nickle con. "He's good for \$25 or \$30 a day spent in that pursuit," was said; "he's all alone in the world, and that's just now his chief recreation."

But this is the anecdote and a good one: An Italian fisherman became a humble priest. He preserved his net and kept it hung in plain view—over the doorway of his rude habitation. He became a bishop and the net was a familiar sight to those who called on him. Then he was promoted to be an archbishop. The net was affixed to a portico of his palace. When he became a cardinal the net was still ostentatiously displayed at his princely residence. He was chosen to be Pope. An old friend of his entered his presence. In the talk of by-gone days that was developed the visitor was moved to exclaim: "I don't see the net any more!" With a beaming face and something like a chuckle in his voice the holy father replied: "Ah, but I've caught the fish!"

SOLACE FOR THE STRICKEN

While still their feet upon Life's threshold stand,
And low the grape hangs purpling to their hand,
Hope springs eternal, Faith is ever true
And Love emparadises earth anew;
Before the gathered fruits to ashes turn
And Hope, and Faith, and Love to cinders burn,
Before their feet are weary with earth's years,
Before their eyes are blinded with its tears,
Hearing but wailing cries where laughter rung,
Happy are they the Gods love, who die young.

OLD FRIENDS AND NEW

As, one by one, years slip away,
New hands clasp mine, new forms I see,
Worthy as olden friends, yet they
Seem never quite as such to me.

Can any one tell why a blamed old hen,
With plenty of good land of her own,
Won't stay there and scratch to her heart's content
And let other folks' gardens alone?

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AFTER THE SIEGE

By MAUD HOWARD PETERSON.

Around my heart I built a moated wall;
Raised high the bridge; flung banners to the breeze;
Placed sentinels at all the points to seize
Those who laid siege. Nor looked I for a fall.
Through years they came; through summer's rains and flower
Through spring and autumn and bleak winter's day,
On mailed horse, with plume and trappings gay.
And still I watched and laughed from my high towers
To see them turn and go. One day one came;
No sword nor arrows carried he; nor fame
Nor plume he had. No charger black as night.
One rose he lay upon the moat's dark breast,
And so it floated to my hold and sight.
Low fell the bridge and flags, and I—I had found rest.

RECEPTIONS, TEAS AND CARD PARTIES GIVEN
SENATOR PERKINS' SON WEDS
SOME WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS TOLDItems of Interest
in the Social
World.

The marriage is announced of Paymaster Frederick King Perkins, U. S. N., second son of United States Senator George C. Perkins and Mrs. Perkins, to Miss Lillian Lampel, of San Francisco, which took place a few days ago.

The bride is an attractive girl, charming and accomplished, and has many friends on both sides of the bay. Mr. Perkins is one of the most popular men in the navy with the sterling qualities that commend him to a wide circle of friends.

The marriage was quietly solemnized, because of illness in the bride's family at her home in San Francisco. The wedding is the sequel to a friendship and romance of several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins left immediately for the South and will return before the end of the month, as the paymaster, now in waiting orders, is to join the new cruiser California, on which he will make his second voyage to the Orient, his wife following by steamer.

The young couple are receiving congratulations from a host of friends.

GOING TO EUROPE.

Mr. and Mrs. James Naismith of Walsworth avenue leave shortly for a tour of the Old World and were recently guests of honor at an elaborate farewell party.

FOR BRIDE ELECT.

Miss Bessie Cotton will entertain next Saturday for Miss Zella Fuller, whose engagement to William Waldo Diers has been recently announced. After an hour at Dutch while supper will be served. Among the score or more guests who have been asked to meet Miss Fuller are Mrs. Reginald Holmes, Mrs. George Freeman, Mrs. Clifford Beatty, Mrs. Ray Gilson, Miss Holene Burnett, Miss Nelson, Miss Hoag, Miss Bradley and a number of others.

FAREWELL PARTY.

Miss Lillian Huelzer was hostess recently at a farewell party for Miss Flora Hansen, who leaves soon for a visit in the South. After a musical program supper was served. Among the guests were: Miss Flora Hansen, Miss Anna Markmann, Miss Gertrude Rowan, Miss Maybelle Markmann, Miss Mary Rowan, Miss Grace Sweetland, Miss Anna Hansen, Miss Dora Markmann, Miss Bessie Hansen, Miss Kathryn Huelzer, Robert Andrews, Harry Heinz, J. Ellsworth, Joseph Rowan, Herbert Butavia, Herman Hellevand, David Curtin, Ben Huelzer and Edward Huelzer.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

Piedmont Factor, No. 87, N. D. G. W., will hold a whist tournament at Pythian Hall, Twelfth and Alameda streets, Thursday, March 14. The prizes which will be awarded at this tournament are on exhibition in the show windows of G. Mosbacher, corner of Thirteenth and Washington. The following committee is in charge: Mrs. G. Bibber, chairman; Mrs. A. Mosher, Mrs. E. Sullivan, Miss Alma Bock, Mrs. M. Nedderman.

AT BYRON.

The following are registered at Byron Hot Springs during the past week: Oakland—Mrs. C. Waltz, T. T. Stank, M. Rose, J. H. Kendry, Mrs. E. A. Richardson, Mrs. M. E. Richards, H. Namanny, P. W. Beardsley, G. P. Uley, E. H. Lohmann, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Fillmore, Miss B. Fillmore, Geo. W. Austin, John T. Coleman, W. M. Downs, Irving Downs, Dr. Dudley Smith, J. Purksey.

Berkeley—Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Neldren, Mrs. Adelaide Marquand, Miss Clara Remer, Bruce Marquand, Philip Monroe, J. A. Martenstein, A. W. Hitt, Mrs. C. Davis.

Alameda—J. B. Lanktree, Capt. F. B. Zaddart, Miss Zaddart, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Cas Taylor.

Fruitvale—Mrs. Geo. Gordon. Mills College—Mrs. C. T. Mills, Miss T. A. Madison.

THURSDAY CLUB.

Mrs. William High will entertain the members of the Thursday Afternoon Club tomorrow at her attractive home. Among those who will enjoy the hospitality of this charming hostess are Mrs. J. Ayers, Mrs. W. S. Baxter, Mrs. W. H. Creed, Mrs. M. C. Chapman, Mrs. Guy Earl, Mrs. E. N. Ewer, Mrs. P. J. Kenna, Mrs. E. C. Morrison, Mrs. J. N. Nelson, Mrs. Lander Redman, Mrs. Chas. Snook, Mrs. Edgar Stone, Mrs. Rels Thompson, Mrs. T. H. Todd, Mrs. George Whitney.

HANSON-LEACH.

The marriage of Miss Esther M. Hanson and George Leach took place at Portland, Ore., last Thursday, March 7. The bride is the daughter of Marjorie Hanson and the late Mrs. Hanson, pioneer residents of Pittsburg, Alameda county. She is said to be talented and accomplished. The couple will reside in Portland, where the groom has furnished a handsome new home. Mr. and Mrs. Leach are at present visiting friends in this city and later will tour the southern part of the State before returning to Portland.

GOWING-BRITAIN.

The marriage is announced of Mrs. Grace Gorrell Gowing and John Britain, which took place March 11 at the home of the groom's brother in San Francisco. On account of illness in the bride's family the wedding was a quiet affair attended only by relatives. The Rev. Dr. Loavitt officiated. The bride is an attractive woman, clever and accomplished. She is known in the literary and society world as the author of several short stories. Mr. Britain is a prominent business man.



MRS. GEORGE LEACH, NEE HANSEN,
whose wedding was a recent affair.

The couple are spending their honeymoon in the northern States and will return to make their home at the Gorrell residence in Piedmont for the present.

GOING ABROAD.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtiss leave March 26 for a trip around the world instead of the tour of Europe they had at first planned.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Sylvia Harris and Dr. Samuel Hardy. The bride to be is the daughter of the late Dr. James Harris, of New York, but has made her home in Berkeley until recently. Dr. Hardy is well known in Oakland, where he has made his home since childhood. He was graduated from Stanford University, later taking his degree from Cooper Medical College. As a member of Theta Psi he was prominent in college fraternity circles. With his brother Dr. Hardy held the tennis championship for several years. No date has been mentioned for the wedding.

EXTENDED TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Hildebrand left yesterday for the East and Europe. They will spend a month in Los Angeles before starting upon their eastern trip. They will spend almost two years in Europe.

NEW HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Morton, with their daughter, Miss May Morton, have given

up their house on Fourteenth street and are settled in a cozy home on Monte Vista avenue. Miss Morton's marriage with Frank Kinsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, will be a charming event of the summer.

ACCEPTED CLUBHOUSE.

A committee representing the Ebell Club formally inspected and accepted the new clubhouse on Harrison street yesterday. The furnishing committee began work yesterday and the handsome clubhouse will be completed for the opening reception in April.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mrs. Joseph Anderson Chanslor is spending a fortnight with friends in Los Angeles.

Joseph Rosborough has just returned after a four weeks visit in Mexico.

Miss Mary Boer, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Philatus Everts at their Berkeley home will leave shortly for Sacramento.

Mrs. Edward J. H. Druhe will entertain next Saturday at an informal affair to be given at her home on Moss avenue.

Mrs. Cora E. Jones, President of the Oakland Club, has been confined to her home with an attack of rheumatism.

THIMBLE BEE.

Miss Bertha Hunter will entertain next Tuesday at a luncheon and thimble bee. Those who will enjoy the occasion are Miss Abba Sanborn, Miss Sue Dunbar, Miss Ida Luckie, Miss Grace Gilbertson, Miss Olive Benoit, Miss Ida Brooks and Mrs. T. C. Campbell.

QUARREL OVER
BULL TERRIER

Mrs. Richard C. Miller, of 205 West One Hundred and First street, who is young and wears good clothes, was crossing Broadway at Thirty-third street recently, when she saw the dog, held in the leash by James Moore, of 307 East Thirty-third street. On March 7, 1906, Mrs. Miller, who was then living at 170 West Seventy-fifth street, lost her pet Boston terrier answering the name of Piper. She was sure the dog she saw was Piper.

Moore, when stopped by Mrs. Miller, insisted that the dog was Fosco. He explained that he was simply ailing the dog for Mr. Frederick E. Rice, also of 307 East Thirty-third street, who had charge of the dog for the owner. The dispute became so animated that a crowd gathered. Traffic Policeman Joseph J. Craig, who said later that he knew Mrs. Miller, took the dog in charge and induced both Mrs. Miller and Mr. Moore to go to the Tenderloin station.

"Why, he's my Piper!" exclaimed Mrs. Miller. "Here, Piper, here, Piper!" The dog didn't appear to like the name and tried to get at Mrs. Miller. Then Sergeant Bailey decided it was too much for him and sent Detective Brennan out to make an investigation. He got back an hour later with Rice, who said that the dog was in his charge. He wouldn't tell the name of the owner.

Rice had with him a circular con-

DOG'S VALUE
SAID TO BE
\$2500

taining a picture of Fosco and his record. It showed that Fosco was numbered 38,800 in the American Kennel Club stud book. It showed that he had won first prizes in dog shows at Toronto, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Pittsburg, Ashbury Park and at the Madison Square Dog Show and gave him a pedigree a yard long. It also alleged that he had won blue ribbons over such champions as Viking, Orsman, Sportsman, Renelo Peach, Little Jap, Surprise, Dick Dazzler and Junior II.

Rice went back to the prison to look the dog over. Later he told the sergeant that the dog was undoubtedly Fosco and that he was worth \$2500. The owner, he said, bought him at the Madison Square Dog Show on February 10, 1906, nearly a month before Mrs. Miller says she lost her Piper. The dog, Fosco, was whelped on December 4, 1904. Mrs. Miller said Piper was the same age.

According to both claimants both dogs have been treated by Dr. Miller, the veterinarian, who runs a dog and cat hospital in West Fifty-third street. He will probably help Magistrate Barlow straighten out the question.

AN IMPORTANT QUESTION.

While little Christabel and her yet smaller sister were playing, her mother was announcing to grandma: "Our neighbor, Mrs. P., has a new baby."

Instantly Christabel turned in eager excitement.

"Oh, mamma," she asked, "what is she going to do with her old one?"

WITCHERY

By FRANK DEMPSTER SHERMAN.

Out of the purple drifts,
From the shadow sea of night,
On tides of musk a moth uplifts
Its weary wings of white.

Is it a dream or ghost
Of a dream that comes to me?
Here is the twilight on the coast,
Blue-cinctured by the sea.

Fashioned of foam and froth—
And the dream is ended soon:
And, lo, whence came the moon-white moth
Comes now the moth-white moon.

REAL CLAUDE
MELNOTTE

ST. LOUIS, March 12.—Victor Johnson, bell boy and night watchman, is another Claude Melnotte. Posing as a railroad promoter of wealth and spending his scant savings with a lavish hand at a summer resort, he won the love of Miss Mary E. Youree, of No. 5414 Page Boulevard, daughter of a wealthy retired physician and a romantic Mary Institute graduate.

But the similarity to Bulwer's character ends there.

LOST HER LOVE.

Miss Youree, after she learned the deception, did not learn to love the deceiver for his own part did the Lady of Lyons. Instead, she sued for divorce.

Johnson was known to her as Harry B. Winter, and she wedded him under that name, and as Mrs. Winter she has filed her divorce petition.

Johnson for several years was employed at the Peckmann Hotel as a bell boy and later as night watchman. He became ill last summer of rheumatism.

Guests at the hotel made up a liberal

DECEIVED WIFE
GOES INTO
DIVORCE COURT

purse to send him to Oklawville, Ill., to take the baths there. To this purse Johnson added his savings.

At Oklawville Johnson became H. B. Winter, railroad promoter.

CHARMED ANOTHER.

"Mr. Winter," slightly lamed by the rheumatic gout in one foot, was pale and interesting. His achievements in promoting big railroad deals charmed the girl.

After Miss Youree returned to St. Louis, "Mr. Winter" was received as a welcome guest at her home. The marriage took place there September 5, 1906, and the young couple set out on a wedding trip to Denver. They were happy.

The happiness might have continued indefinitely if "Mr. Winter's" money had held out. But it didn't. His wife avers that in Denver he tried to borrow money from her. She declares she returned to St. Louis on transportation paid for with her own money, and that her husband returned with her. Then he was ordered away from her home.

MAN GETS NEW
NASAL ORGAN

As happy as a child with a new toy, David Dodson, of Barnesboro, Pa., walked out of the Dental Hall of the University of Pennsylvania, the proud possessor of a life-like nose, replacing that which was frozen several years ago in a bilizzard.

For the last two years Dodson has tried in vain to secure a new nose, and last year prevailed on Dean C. H. Frazier of the medical department, to attempt to graft a finger of his right hand on his face, to form the nose.

FIRST ONE WAS
LOST BY FROST

Just as soon as the operation was about to prove successful, Dodson, crazed with pain, pulled the finger out of its place, and made the operation a failure.

The new nose is a perfect article. It is made of flesh-colored vulcanite, with block tin tubes and is held on the face by means of a heavy pair of bow spectacles and a heavy false moustache.

The case was handled by Philip Kurtz, a senior of the dental department, under the direction of Dr. A. De Witt Gritman.

STOCKINGS
IN COURT

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 12.—Judge Malebary heard evidence the other day as to whether a paper purporting to be the last will of Kostas Asastakis, known as Charles Anderson, should be formally probated. A number of witnesses from the Greek colony on Sixth street were heard, and an abundance of evidence presented.

This latter consisted of letters, photographs of the principals and a pair of heavy knitted woolen stockings from Macedonia. The stockings constituted a love token, a badge of betrothal, the acknowledgment on the part of Vessela Demetrona, resident in Macedonia, that she accepted the proffer of marriage made her by Anderson, and ac-

QUEER BADGE OF
BETROTHAL

knowledgeed the receipt of his presents of jewelry accompanying that offer.

Anderson was drowned during the recent Ohio River flood. Thomas James, a brother of the far-away bereft sweetheart, presented a will drawn in the girl's favor, with himself as executor. There is \$300 in cash left by Anderson involved. The Cincinnati lover had never seen the Macedonian sweetheart, and the making of the will was part of the betrothal proceedings through the brother.

A sister of the dead man is a claimant on the estate. Judge Malebary has not yet rendered a decision, but is inclined to declare the sweetheart the sole heiress.

CRIPPLED WOMAN
SENT TO JAIL

PARIS, March 12.—Persons accustomed to court procedure according to English or American law frequently are surprised at the methods and rulings common to French courts. The presiding magistrate seems to have almost unlimited power. The discretion of a French magistrate even indulges now and then in a little discussion with a witness or prisoner, whom he takes in hand and examines and cross-examines just like a lawyer for the defense or prosecution.

He frequently resorts to the accused: "You did," or "You didn't," gesticulates and glances disparagingly at the audience as if to say:

"Did you ever see so provoking a prisoner?"

Incidents of this kind impress Anglo-Saxon spectators with the "freedom" indulged in by French courts. A recent case in Grenoble furnishes

SERVES HER
RIGHT SAYS
THE JUDGE

another phase of this judicial latitude, although radically different in application. A woman was on trial for a certain phase of criminality in which she had contributed to the depopulation of her country, or rather to a radical prevention of population.

At the time of her arrest she had sought to elude pursuit. Being on the point of capture she jumped from a housetop to the ground and was injured so that she will be a hopeless cripple for life. The court condemned her to one year and one day in prison, declaring: "The injuries from which she never can recover constitute part of the punishment she deserves."

The colored frock or blouse that has become faded with frequent laundering, or from wear in the sun, may be bleached to a clear white by boiling in cream of tartar water. The correct quantity to be used to make the garment a pure white is a teaspoonful of the powder to a quart of water.

WHEN MAY
WEDS DECEMBER

LOCK HAVEN, Pa., March 12.—A unique marriage was solemnized in John P. Anthony's office recently when John E. Antis, an old resident, and Miss Mary Ida High, daughter of Irwin High, of Mill Hall, were wedded by Alderman Anthony. The bridegroom gave his age as 50 years, to the best of his knowledge, though there are those who say he is from five to eight years older, while the bride has not yet reached her eighteenth birthday.

The bridegroom has for the last forty years been employed on the farm of Mrs. Nancy Myers, east of this city, and about six months ago Miss High accepted a position as housekeeper at the Myers residence. Friendship ripened into love, and now they are married.

With her face wreathed in smiles, the bride replied to the Squire's fateful question, "I will," in a clear voice. The bridegroom looked more serious as he pledged his truth.

After receiving the congratulations of those present, the bride and bridegroom got into their carryall and drove

INCORPORATE TO
RAISE DEAD

NORFOLK, Va., March 12.—For the avowed purpose of bringing the dead back to life by restoring breath to the bodies which it has left by artificial respiration a corporation has been organized and chartered with a capitalization of \$100,000. The officers of the corporation are: R. R. Miller, president; C. S. Hanks, vice-president; W. H. Venable, treasurer, and H. C. Hill, secretary. All are men of high standing.

Experiments by Prof. Poe of Norfolk county, led to the organization of the

GAINS \$3000
AND FIANCÉ

CHICAGO, March 12.—Miss Sophie Fenlen, of Denver, was compelled to reach into her stocking at police headquarters, a few days ago, and dig up \$2,000—all that remained of a roll of \$3,000 that William Wambaugh, a woolly Westerner of fifty-one, gave her on a train from Denver when she promised to be his bride.

They met in Colorado City. Wambaugh had \$5,000. Miss Fenlen disclosed that his company was good. She is twenty-eight, with languishing eyes and French heels. She told him of the wealth of her Chicago relatives and invited him to come here. This brought about a marriage engagement. They

RULES FOR
SIMPLE LIFE

BALTIMORE, March 12.—Eat what your appetite craves.
Chew it most thoroughly until it dissolves in the mouth.
Stop when your appetite is satisfied.
And you will be healthy, wealthy and wise.

This system of living has received the qualified sanction of Dr. Lewellyn F. Barker, who succeeded Dr. Osler at the Johns Hopkins Medical School.

FLOWERS FOR INVALIDS.

When choosing flowers to send to a sick friend remember that the two necessary qualifications are that they have only a faint odor, and that they are of some variety that is lasting. Some flowers last very much longer than others.

Carnations probably give more satisfaction than any other flower in this respect, and the odor is very refreshing. Roses, lilies of the valley and violets are all suitable for a sick room, but they do not last very long. They will keep much better, however, if they are removed from the

sick room every night, and this should always be done with any kind of flower. Put them in a cool place and cut the stems, then fill the vases with fresh hot water into which a pinch of salt has been added. This will not make the fragrance last, but it will freshen the flowers and make the colors look brighter.

Always remember when calling upon any one who has been ill, or who is still ill, that your visit must be a very brief one. Do not talk about illness or sorrow of any kind, and do not ask the symptoms or experience of the invalid during his or her illness. Talk of something bright, cheerful and amusing.

DAIRY MAID
KINDLES
LOVE

away, after the latter had cut away the strings by which a half dozen tin cans had been tied to the wheels of the vehicle by mischievous boys.

As they turned the corner of Water street the happy bride waved her hands and smiled to those attracted to the street by the cheering of the boys. A wedding feast was held tonight, which was participated in by friends and the callithumpians.

Another marriage ceremony surrounded by unusual circumstances was performed by Alderman Anthony yesterday afternoon at his office. The bride and bridegroom were Edward P. Conway and Mrs. Mary J. Conway, both of this city. The latter gave her years as 62, while the bridegroom is seventeen years her junior. Once before they had assumed marital relations, but dissensions arose, and three years ago were divorced. Recently the old love flame was rekindled, the former bridegroom again wooed and won, proposed, was accepted, and this time they are determined to permit nothing to mar their nuptial bliss.

BRAND NEW
METHOD
ADVANCED

corporation. The professor says that he has perfected a method of restoring the breath of life to lungs which it has left by pumping carbonic gas from and oxygen into the lungs. Cases of apparent asphyxiation by gas, drowning or death from an overdose of anesthetics, Prof. Poe says, can be brought back to life that would otherwise be lost, to say nothing of plain drunks that can be sobered in a jiffy.

No man has yet been resuscitated by the method, but experiments on lower animals are said to have been successful.

FRENCH HEELS
WIN WOOLY
WESTERNER

came on to be married. The prospective bride had a "cousin" on the train. He was dark and sinister. He never showed up except at meal time.

Miss Fenlen borrowed \$3,000 from Wambaugh and slipped her cousin \$1,000. The conductor saw both transactions and telegraphed the Chicago police. The cousin left the train at Englewood. The bridal party came on and were taken by the police. Miss Fenlen said she may have exaggerated about the wealth and social position of her family, but she wanted to marry just the same. The police say she is a confidence woman. Wambaugh will go back with a decreased roll.

EAT ALL YOU WANT
BUT CHEW IT

Here is a day's menu for the simple life:

Breakfast—Cup of coffee and mug of hot milk.

Luncheon—Leaf of lettuce, with oil dressing, two wheat cakes and a cup of custard.

Dinner—Half dozen raw oysters, chewing each one of them thirty times and ejecting the pulp that will not dissolve, two griddle cakes, with maple syrup; cup coffee, four-fifths milk.

Always remember when calling upon any one who has been ill, or who is still ill, that your visit must be a very brief one. Do not talk about illness or sorrow of any kind, and do not ask the symptoms or experience of the invalid during his or her illness. Talk of something bright, cheerful and amusing.

INVENTOR OF THE ART OF HYDRAULIC DREDGING AND DREDGE WOULD HAMPER PRESENT PLAN

Great Machine Which Makes Possible the Economical Development of the City of Oakland's Vast Waterfront for the Benefit of Commerce.

"What is Fame? To be killed in battle, and have Your name misspelled in the Gazette"

Editor TRIBUNE—I do not vouch for the entire accuracy of the foregoing, for it is quoted from memory, but it expresses the idea exactly.

My attention has been called to four recent complimentary notices of the inventor of the Hydraulic Dredge in neither of which is his name given correctly. Three of these notices were in the Oakland TRIBUNE of last December, the fourth is in the December 8 issue of Shipping Illustrated a New York publication devoted to the interest of commerce and navigation.

It is from the pen of Captain Louis M. Haupt, formerly of the U. S. Corps of Engineers, later Professor of Engineering at the University of Pennsylvania and recently one of the Commissioners of the Interoceanic Canal, a recognized authority on all such subjects.

A MAN OAKLAND SHOULD REVERE

Under the caption "A Man Whom Oakland Should Revere" Mr. C. R. Lewis, in the TRIBUNE of December 20 very pertinently says:

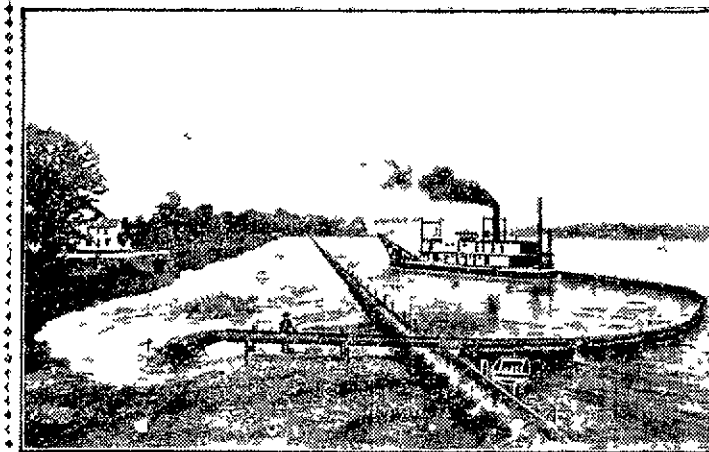
"While the citizens of Oakland (myself included) are congratulating themselves on the present rapid growth and on the rapidly approaching deep water harbor for this city, they are entirely indifferent and forgetful of the man who made all this possible. I don't know who he is or whether he is dead or alive. I refer to the man who invented the modern suction dredger."

"The citizens of Oakland do not appreciate what that man's genius brings to them. I feel for him a gratitude equal to what I feel for any of the great inventors of the age. Without what his brain gave to the world, Oakland could not have been a maritime city."

"If he is alive and he or his immediate heirs are in the clutches of poverty no more worth or Christian duty could be performed by the charitable people of Oakland than to relieve him or them of their distress."

FORMER RESIDENT OF OAKLAND

A few days later under the caption "A Man Whom Oakland Should Revere" in another issue and complimentary writer thus:



The Bowers dredge and Bowers system of dredging, transporting and filling or raising land.

name of the inventor as Lorenzo Bowers, who he says is not only an inventive genius and mechanical engineer but a perfect gentleman in every respect."

He calls attention to the fact that Mr. Bowers once resided in Oakland, speaks of his dredge as one of the greatest inventions of the age, and refers Mr. Lewis to me for further information.

A third writer, Mr. George Dickson, speaks of the inventor in equally complimentary terms but gives his "name" only.

In behalf of Mr. Bowers, I desire to thank these gentlemen for their appreciation of his work.

FORTY YEARS OF LITIGATION

As attorney for Mr. Bowers in the prosecution of some forty odd suits against infringers of the patents none of which have been decided against him, though they have cost him in the neighborhood of a quarter of a million dollars and though new infringements are constantly springing up that must be taken into court I am glad to give credit to the man to whom it is due and to say that while his reward has been in no wise commensurate with the merits of his invention he has not yet become a proper object for charity and that the citizens of Oakland may know to whom they are so ready indebted—I give the name of the inventor, Alphonzo Benjamin Bowers in full.

EASTERN TRIBUTES.

And while on this subject I am interested the people of Oakland to know something of what is said in the east and elsewhere of their former townsman and his inventions. In this belief I quote from the Haupt article already referred to:

"In the good old days before the war when it was the practice to scoop up mud by the spoonful at the rate of a few hundred yards a day, the cost was from forty to eighty cents per cubic yard and the progress hopelessly slow. More than fifty years ago the need of reclamation and flood control in the fertile valley of the Pacific slope stimulated the ambition of a young engineer to devise a mode of removing mud from the water bottoms and projecting it over or upon the adjacent marshes by the use of water as a conveyer. It was an inspiration and became an absorbing passion with him so that ere long all his energies and resources were concentrated on the early fulfillment of his hopes. At the time of this conception the inventor was making a survey and map of Sonoma County, California, upon borrowed capital, based on his faith in the county to fulfill its contract when the map was completed. This through political complications it never did, causing a loss of \$3,000 and clouding the life of the unfortunate engineer for many years."

"During a period of more than twenty years his indefatigable energy enabled him to entice the utmost of numerous capitalists to a small extent but at last they all became discouraged and in 1884 the inventor found himself nearly \$100,000 in debt with no occupation income assets or credit and was advised to butt his head against a stone wall and give up the fight against the infringing parties the chief of whom was the government itself and to 'die in peace'."

"In a statement by the inventor he says: 'What wonder that I could not sleep that I was forbidden to work more than one hour a day and often could not do even that. For a year I could do nothing except write a few letters which I did at the risk of my life to preserve my rights in the patent office and was supposed to have softening of the brain. I mortgaged my invention for \$42,000 (of which \$400 was cash and the balance security for debts) to go to Washington where I broke down completely and was forced to rest, and where I finally succeeded in getting my patents allowed'."

The courts pronounce this to be a pioneer invention, it being "A rotary excavator of moderate size novel construction and great capacity combined with a hydraulic transporting device of equal capacity by means of which the spoil may be cheaply carried over land or water together with novel feeding devices through which the percentages of earth excavated by the cutter and of the water therewith delivered are adjustable to the precise amount of each necessary for the most economical working, and by means of which clean work is done, the excavator going twice over no ground and missing no ground, thus saving much time and affecting great economies, thereby making feasible countless public and private enterprises otherwise impracticable."

"In soft mud this machine removed 2655 yards per minute or 1611 yards per hour, and reduced the cost per yard in soft material to 7 cents or less."

FIRST BOWERS' MACHINE

The first experimental machine built by Mr. Bowers was of only 55 I. H. P. It handled 55 cubic yards per minute when tested in the



ALPHONZO BENJAMIN BOWERS
inventor of the hydraulic dredge and the art of hydraulic dredging

Oakland estuary by disinterested engineers. This is at the rate of 3300 cubic yards in ten hours—a record that has been surpassed by no subsequent machine of the same power. Mr. Bowers was at this time a resident of Oakland.

The second machine built by him was of 175 I. H. P. This is the machine to which Mr. Haupt refers in the last quoted paragraph above. In hard material its output was about 150,000 cubic yards per month while it was of less than one half the power employed by other builders to produce the same result.

SAVING TO THE GOVERNMENT.

Quoting again from the article referred to:

The saving to the government by use of this invention on the Pacific Coast alone is estimated to exceed \$4,000,000. Its use on the Mississippi river as the best device for relieving the navigation at low stages is now the adopted policy of the government commission. Its general use on the Atlantic and Gulf seaboard and in the Philippines, on the reclamation of the Potomac flats and in many other places will swell the sum to considerably over ten millions."

The saving to the government on this Coast is probably more than \$6,000,000 and on the Atlantic and Gulf Coast and in the Philippines, it is estimated more than \$15,000,000 while the value of properties created by this dredge runs far into the hundreds of millions. But continuing our quotation:

"Although these machines have been known under a variety of names given to them by the infringers the man whose life and fortune have been spent in this herculean effort to conceive, develop and introduce them against the most potent opposition, is Alphonzo (Alphonzo) B. Bowers of San Francisco."

Captain Haupt seems to agree in sentiment with Mr. Lewis inasmuch as he closes his article in the following words after speaking of the story of the inventor's life which he says:

"Reads like a romance and confirms the adage that Truth is stranger than fiction. May we not hope that in these days of political renovation this great nation may grant at least an extension of the patent that he may in a measure be reimbursed for his great services in the arts of peace in his declining years or else pay him a lump sum and make it a gift from the people to the interests of commerce and the national welfare."

OTHER COUNTRIES BENEFITED

The intentions patented by Mr. Bowers are now used in many foreign countries where his name is better known than it seems to be in the place where he perfected them and which has been benefited by them more perhaps than any other single city.

Many a city has honored itself in the erection of monuments in honor of men to whom they owed far less than does Oakland to the inventor of the Hydraulic Dredge.

PERSONAL TRAITS.

Much has been written in commendation of the persistence, energy and ability with which the inventor has fought for his rights, but another equally marked trait in his character is his extreme loyalty and devotion to his friends. Tender-hearted as a woman under no provocation can he be made to say an unkind word against those he has once loved, and in behalf of his friends, he is ever ready to break a lance. Those who know him well recall countless acts of kindness and thoughtful remembrance shown by him to others. Many sorrows and much distress has he lightened—much happiness has he given to others while his own life has been lonely and sad.

BOWERS' CHECKERED CAREER.

As aptly descriptive of his checkered career I quote the closing paragraph of a paper read before The Technical Society of the Pacific Coast by W. H. Smyth, M. E. in reference to the Bowers' Dredge, from page 152, Vol. XIX of the Journal of the Association of Engineering Societies published in Philadelphia.

This story of the growth of a machine can hardly be other than what it was intended to be—a prosaic statement of facts and dates from sworn testimony of court records and personal observation. A few readers, here and there can like the writer, fill in the blank of years so lightly passed by in narration. To these this story will present another and entirely different aspect one which thrills with human feeling and sympathy, a story of trial, disappointment and hope deferred, of ill-health and reproach of high hopes and ambitions, of youth and manhood worn away as slowly, but surely as dropping water wears stone by the passing days of passing years. These will know that progress as well as religion demands its martyrs, and that success so dazzling to the beholder, is but a lightning flash on a summer evening, incapable of dissipating the chill of a life's journey in the valley of shadows."

JOHN H. MILLER,

Attorney in the Bowers' Cases.

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President Roosevelt Takes Up the Jap Matter With the Governor.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—This is the text of the telegram this morning of matter between Governor Gillett and President Roosevelt regarding the San Francisco issue of Japanese pupils at the public schools and it was filed with the Assembly at Governor Gillett's instance just prior to the recent adjournment of that body:

TO ROOSEVELT.

Sacramento, March 11 1907.
Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States Washington D. C. A bill is now pending in our Legislature to submit to the voters two years from now the question as to whether or not Japanese labor shall be excluded from this country. Will the passage of the bill interfere with any of your plans or make it more difficult for you to accomplish what you have undertaken to do in the way of Japanese exclusion? Please answer at once as our Legislature is desirous of knowing concerning it.

JAMES N. GILLETT
Governor of California

TO GILLET

"The White House" Washington D. C.

March 12 1907.

Hon. James N. Gillett, Governor of California. I thank you for your kind and prompt attention to my request. Passage of a bill for submission to the voters of California whether Japanese laborers shall be excluded would interfere with my plans and make it difficult for me to accomplish through the national government what I am trying to do in the way of Japanese labor exclusion. The assumption of power by the voters of California to settle the question if presented to by the national government would immediately end all my negotiations with Japan for a friendly adjustment because to negotiate a settlement we must have power to settle, while on the other hand California cannot negotiate a treaty under the constitution. It is however perfectly clear that under the constitution only the national government can settle the question of exclusion and such a vote of California as is proposed would have to be treated as entirely negative while it would probably be regarded by those opposed to exclusion as a threat to ignore the constitutional power of the United States and exclude Japanese in defiance of their treaty to come in I earnestly deplore the passage of any legislation affecting the Japanese. The national government now has the matter in hand and can in all human probability secure the results that California desires while at the same time preserving unbroken the friendly relations between the United States and Japan.

I have the interest of California most deeply at heart. I will strive to accomplish for California as for any other State or section of this country everything that can conserve its honor and its interest. Any such action as that you mention would merely hamper the national government in the effort to secure for California what only the national government can secure.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

PUTTING SCREWS ON WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE

GUTHRIE Okla. March 12.—The right of women to vote in the new State was restricted further last night by the constitutional convention when the privilege to vote on all matters relating to schools was changed to read that women should vote only on school district elections.

For that drowsy, tired feeling and loss of appetite there is nothing as good as Lash's Kidney and Liver Bitters.

"Tut, tut," says the Man Who Knows.

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IN FAVOR OF LOWER RATE

Pennsylvania Senate Committee Recommends Passage of Two-cent Fare Bill.

HARRISBURG Pa. March 12.—The Senate railroad committee today reported favorably on the two-cent railroad fare bill which passed the house two weeks ago. Despite the opposition of the railroads the bill is expected to pass the Senate.

The Senate committee struck out the clause imposing one year's imprisonment for railroad officers for violation of the act. The clause providing for \$1000 fine remains.

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Thursday's Curtain Sale

Three pairs French Soutache Cord Curtains, in Arabian, regular \$4.00	Thursday's Sale	2.95
Six pairs Antique Scrim Curtains, in cream, regular \$3.50	Thursday's sale	2.65
Six pairs Arabian Scrim Curtains, regular \$5.00	Thursday's sale	3.85
Two pairs Barge Irish Point Curtains, regular \$5.50	Thursday's sale	4.15
Four pairs Red Panel Nottingham Curtains, regular \$3.50	Thursday's sale	1.95

ALL ONE PAIR AND SINGLE CURTAINS WILL BE SOLD AT HALF PRICE.

Special Thursday, Friday and Saturday Embroidered Robes and Waist Patterns at About One-Half Price

100 new embroidered ready-to-wear Robes of Sheer Mulls, Swisses and Batiste. These include shaped skirt with embroidered and plain material for waist. In conjunction with these we secured 500 Shirt Waist Patterns, all complete with plain material and embroidered bands for the entire waist. Enough material for all sizes.

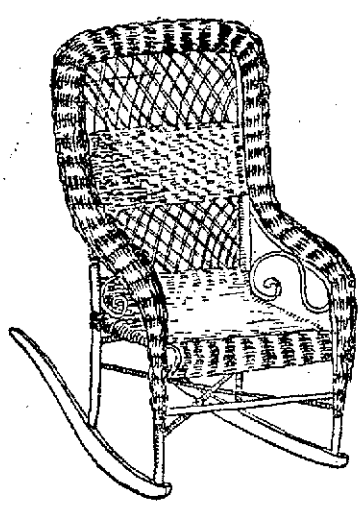
THESE WILL BE SOLD AT ABOUT ONE-THIRD AND ONE-HALF OF THEIR REAL VALUE.

Embroidered Waist Patterns, worth to \$1.00. Special	48c	Embroidered Robes, worth to \$8.50. Special	4.38
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Embroidered Waist Patterns, worth to \$2.00. Special	98c	Embroidered Robes, worth to \$17.50. Special	8.38
Embroidered Waist Patterns, worth to \$2.50. Special	1.28	Embroidered Robes, worth to \$22.50. Special	12.38
Embroidered Waist Patterns, worth to \$3.00. Special	1.98	Embroidered Robes, worth to \$30.00. Special	15.38

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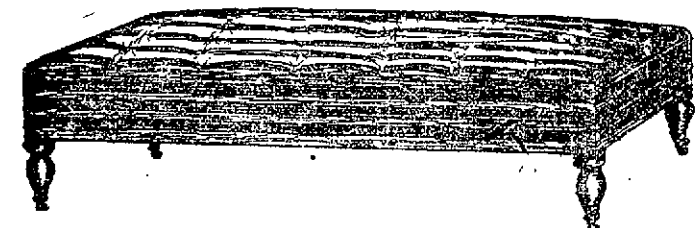
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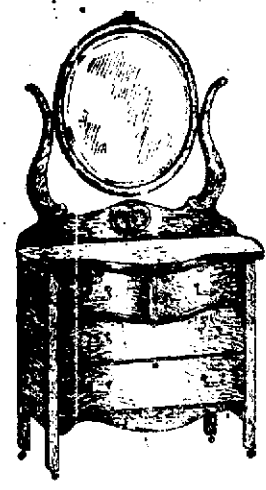
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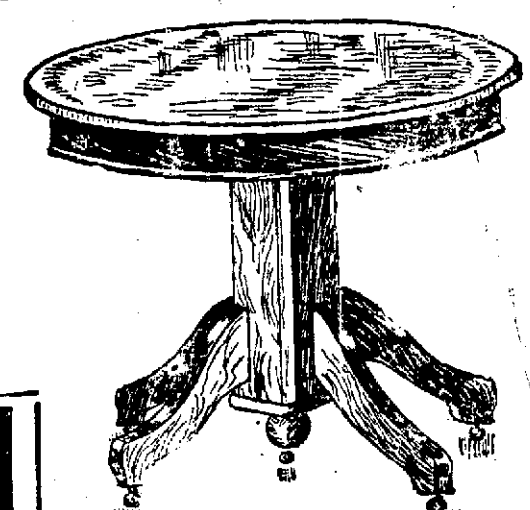
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Three acts are contained in the opera, and 148 members are included in the company. There are eleven noted prima donnas, and fifty-seven musicians in the symphony orchestra. Three musical conductors accompany "Madam Butterfly" on her tour and 361 pieces of baggage are carried by the members of the company, necessitating four baggage cars for the transportation of the scenery.

Five prima donnas assist "Madam Butterfly" to sing the title role. The sum of \$75,000 was expended on the scenery and costumes, and ten cars, composing a special train, are used for the transportation of the production. The weekly running expenses are \$12,000.

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"Madam Butterfly" was written by Giacomo Puccini, the foremost living composer of Italy.

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Fifty consecutive performances of "Madam Butterfly" were given in New York. This engagement broke the world's record for grand opera runs, and netted boxoffice receipts of more than \$150,000. Six valets and eleven maids, employed by the principal singers, accompany their masters and mistresses en tour. While en tour the managerial staff alone numbers ten men, who look after the endless details of the big enterprise.

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For the past five years Perkins has lived with his mother at 1720 Le Roy avenue, this city. Most of the time his father is away from home, being at present on the isthmus of Panama.

TOOK SPECIAL COURSE.
In preparation for his examination young Perkins has been taking a special course of training under Professor W. H. Gleason. He leaves Berkeley for Annapolis with every assurance that he will pass the entrance test. He is an exceptionally bright youth of sixteen years and has many friends at high school and the grammar school which he attended two years ago.

Harry W. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hill of 1107 Alice Street, Oakland, who recently passed the examination

after receiving his appointment from Congressman Knowland, expects to leave for Annapolis within a few weeks.

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"No, I—"

"Oh, well, sir, if it is none of these offices I really haven't the time to direct you. In fact, sir, I would have you understand that I am no guide to Washington, anyway. Go out and ask a policeman."

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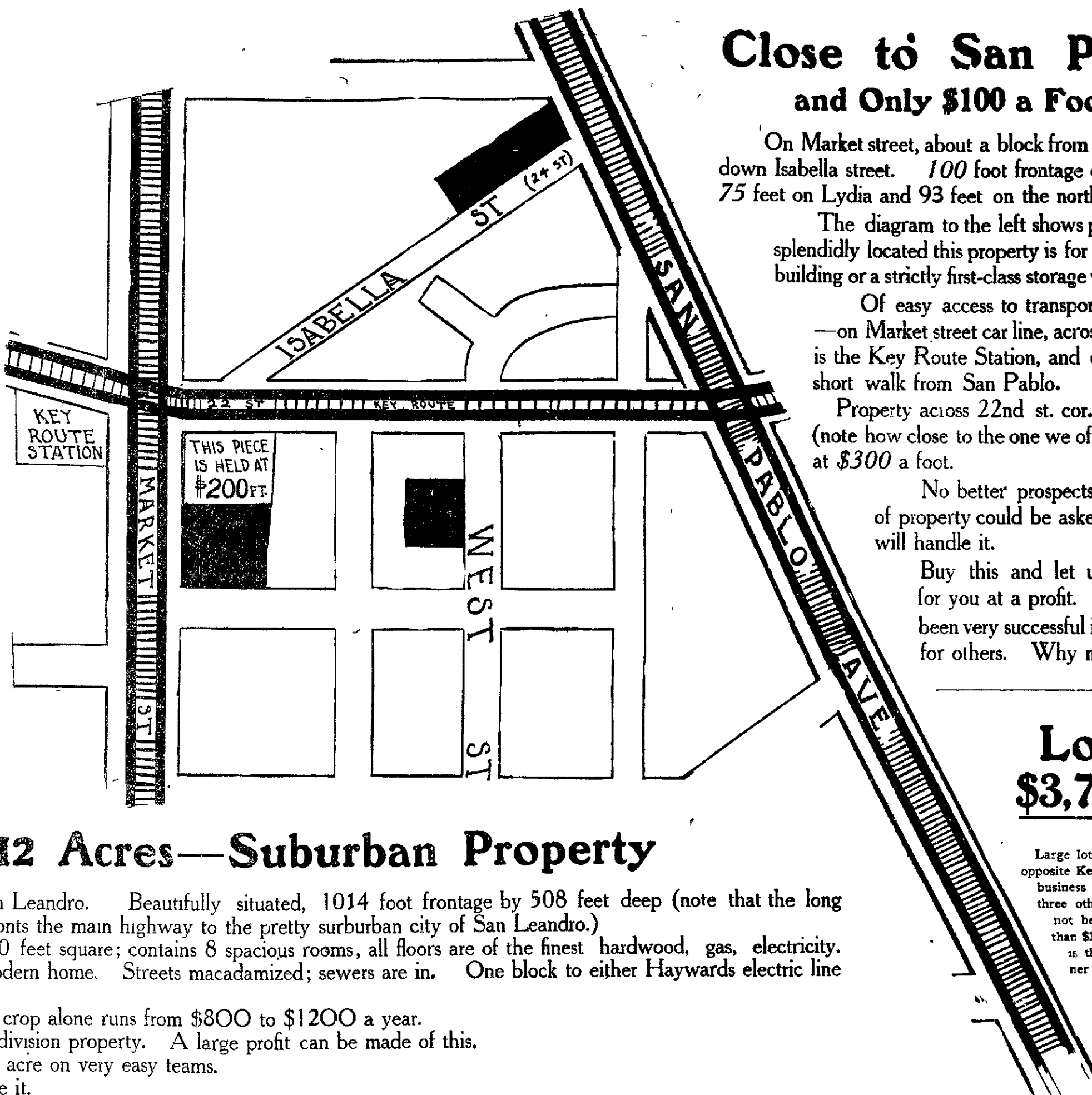
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off Telegraph ave., near Idora Park. This pretty little cottage has three bedrooms. Beautifully furnished parlor; paneled diningroom in sumac oak with clinker brick fireplace; nice built-in china closets, large kitchen with fine pantry; porcelain bath, open nickel plumbing; located on sunny side of street; cement walks, macadamized streets; gas and electricity; large shed in rear, nice assortment of fruit trees; furniture consists of 5 oak bedroom sets, parlor, diningroom and kitchen furniture, good carpets for five rooms and kitchen linoleum—all used but one year, easily worth \$300. The lot, 40x50, worth \$250. This house built one year, easily worth \$250. This will rent easily furnished for \$50, thereby paying 15 per cent on the investment or ready for you to stop rent into and have a nice little home. Owner leaving city and must be sold at once for \$3000.

\$2200—Good five-room, high-basement cottage; lot 25x125; one block from the local in West Oakland. Rental value \$55.

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\$2625—In Fruitvale, good five-room cottage, 3 1/2 baths, lot 30x125; driveway possible. \$500 down.

\$2475—East Oakland, near 22d ave., Colonial house, complete, modern, modern, good condition; lot 37x115; redwood finish. Terms if desired.

\$3500—On Chestnut near 22d, new, hand-some, five-room bungalow, modern, complete; lawn; lot 30x125. \$2200 down.

\$3300—Near 22d and Market, high basement cottage, comparatively new; strong, good house, complete, modern; nice lawn; lot 30x100. Rental value \$45.

\$4000—Sycamore st., small cottage of three rooms, modern, built in rear of lot, lot 30x100; fine spot for flats.

\$2750—7-room and bath Colonial house, three bedrooms, fine place; sunny side of 30th; driveway; lot 30x100.

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We have this exclusive sale of a lot, 12x125, fronting on Bushrod Park, at the extremely low price of \$40 per front foot. We believe in less than six months this same piece will bring \$75 per front foot; street work done.

\$1500—A few choice lots, \$1500 each, close to Telegraph ave. and Key Route station.

\$1500—Fine lot on Claremont ave. Now work has commenced on this avenue and Key Route cars will soon be running; now is the time to buy; lot 35x150.

\$1300—Lot 25x105, with small house in rear; street work done. The lot is worth the money; terms also.

\$2300—Price reduced for a quick sale; 50x100, on Alcatraz ave. near College ave.; southern frontage.

\$3500—Splendid bargain in a four-roomed cottage, high basement, could be rented; convenient to cars and school; street work done.

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\$3250—On Chestnut St., near 12th, a good 7-room cottage on fine, large lot 38 x 132 1/2 feet. This is dirt cheap.

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Here is a choice lot on Jean st. on the top of the hill, having a magnificent view of the hills East and South of Oakland and the bay West and South. The lot is on the northern side of the street so that a house on it would have a Southern exposure. This lot is 50 ft wide and can be bought right now for \$10 a foot. Lots having view are greatly sought after, and it is a wise man who gets hold of them at this time.

We have a 50 foot lot on El Dorado ave., one of the show avenues of Linda Vista Terrace, beautifully situated in this fashionable district with fine houses all around it, and the price is only \$10 a foot. It will be worth \$35 in six months' time. Don't miss this snap.

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Upper Adams Point property. For some one who wants a wide lot while living on high ground, yet comparatively sheltered, where flowers can be raised in profusion, this is an ideal location. The lot, while somewhat narrower at the rear, has a frontage of 72 ft. This property is on Adams st., and should be seen at once.

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\$40,000

Six magnificent flats built only eight months ago; on a down-town corner 70x100 feet in dimensions; land immediately opposite facing Broadway sells for \$800 per front foot; and this corner is easily worth \$400; the improvements cost \$25,000 and cannot be duplicated for that price today. Come in and see me and I will convince you why this is a good buy.

\$650 up

Fine building lots on car line; good elevation; near schools and churches; street work completed, including sewer, water and cement walks; only a small payment down, balance in monthly installments. (3361)

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\$8000 for one of the sweetest flats in Oakland on Grove st. near 6th st. Key Route Depot. This is now \$35 a month.

\$2000—In Alameda, beautiful 8-room house, surrounded by 6-year-old palms; lot 51 by 147—everything in first-class condition. This house is well built and finished in a fine neighborhood.

\$2400—Lot 40 by 120, N. E. corner Webster st., near Claremont Hotel and new Key Route Depot. Select Neighborhood.

\$1300—Lot 50 by 140, near Country Club and Broadway car line; street work complete.

\$1000—Lot 40 by 100; street work complete. A property convenient to Key Route and cars.

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\$5600

Modern 2-story 7-room house, very close to Telegraph ave. and south of 30th st. 4 bedrooms and bath upstairs; all newly tinted and in good repair; car give immediate possession; lot 40 foot frontage; it is a bargain at \$5600.

LOT for sale, \$2300 this week. Cholest lot in the block. Property next to it is held at just double of what will be sold this week. Linden st., 100 ft. south of 34th st. junction San Pablo ave. If you have the money, look at the lot and you will buy it. Apply to H. Schellhaas personally at furniture store, corner 11th and Franklin st.

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\$15,000

Lot 70x140, on 27th st. bet. Grove and Telegraph ave. with fine improvements; good rental value; a snap. (349)

\$6000

A pair of small flats on 12th ave. East Oakland; income \$40. (341)

\$3750

Large lot with house 6 rooms, on east side of Chestnut st. A BARGAIN. (334)

\$2400

4-room cottage on 62nd st. near car lines; nice home; on easy terms. (422)

\$1500

Lot on Chestnut st., 50x100, all in lawn; worth \$2000. (446)

\$1000

33-1-2 feet x 130 on north side of 46th st. near Grove; will sell for \$1000 on terms of build to suit you; first comes first served.

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48 NINTH STREET.

\$65,000

Fine business property in center of Oakland; building well rented; lot 50 by 75 feet.

\$4250

5 rooms, modern; lot 40 by 100.

\$2250

5 rooms, bath, etc.; on 26th st.; lot 25 by 100 feet.

\$3800

New 5-room cottage, modern; lot 37 by 121 feet; Chestnut st.

\$3250

5 rooms, modern, high basement; lot 25 by 120 feet; fine property.

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5 rooms, all modern; new, high basement; lot 27 1/2 by 100; a good buy.

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per front foot on a blumalized street, only a block from Broadway and 9th, where land just sold for \$2000 per front foot; lot 50x100, improved with a two-story frame building that will pay good interest today. This is a snap and should be taken in the value of this lot, within the next 30 days, to \$1000 per foot. (3011)

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\$1500—30 acres all set out in Alameda. In Contra Costa Co., located between S. P. and Santa Fe Railroads. This is a snap and should be taken up at once.

\$1500—Each, two 4 room cottages; 47th st., close to car line; street work guaranteed. 1115

\$1250—Lot 30x125; 5 room cottage 7-foot basement; everything in A-1 condition. In East Oakland, close to cars. 1119

\$4500—Linden street close to 14th; 2 story 5 room dwelling; new with all modern conveniences; interior in natural wood highly polished; lot 40 x 110. 1109

\$5100—23d street near Grove; 2 story, 6 room house; driveway and cement walks; lot 37x100; has been built 2 years; can be had on terms. 1107

\$4000—Each, two 2 story, 6 room houses; new and modern in every respect; lots 30x105. 1102

\$21,000

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\$32,500

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\$5000—Two sunny modern flats on north side 52d st., between Shattuck and Dr. ver; new cars and Key Route depot; lot 30x125. Address Owner, Box 115, Tribune.

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TWO GOOD BUSINESS BUYS

\$40,000—Cor. 16th and Grove, lot 72x105; 11-room house, bringing good income. (E-312)

\$37,500—North side of 16th st., bet. Clay and Jefferson; lot 50x100; 12-room house, well rented. (E-311)

These are two of the best buys we have on our books for a big increase in value; they are both in the heart of the new Clay and Grove st. business districts, with assured business improvements all around them.

FLATS FLATS FLATS

\$10,000—On 14th, between Linden and Chestnut, 8 rooms in upper, 7 rooms in lower; modern in every respect; all rooms nice and large and sunny; lot 47x100; income \$85. (E-307)

\$8750—On 36th, bet. West and Curtiss; 2 fine modern flats of 14 rooms, one of the best locations in town; lot 50x100; income \$200. (E-29)

PINE TELEGRAPH AVENUE HOME

\$15,000—This is a two-story 7-room house with all modern improvements, including cement basement, furnace, hardwood floors, 2 open fireplaces, bay window, hall and dining room, and every convenience to make it an up-to-date home. It is located in the very best residence section of Telegraph ave., this side of 32nd, on a corner; lot 40x100. Investigate this at once. (E-308)

FINE 14TH STREET HOME

\$5500—On the cor. of 14th and Chestnut, large, sunny, up-to-date 8-room house, finely finished and splendidly arranged, modern in every way; also 2-room bungalow, with large sunny porch, can easily be changed into auto garage; lot 30x105; income \$100 per month. (E-30)

TWO LINDA VISTA HOMES

\$7000—Two modern, up-to-date 8-room houses, hardwood floor, large maple mantle, and every convenience; on Santa Clara ave., cor. Chestnut; lot 30x100. (E-255)

\$5800—New, modern 7-room house, curly redwood finish; complete in every way; on sunny side of Perry st., bet. Oakland ave. and Vernon; lot 40x125. (E-266)

HOWE STREET BUNGALOW

\$5750—New, modern, up-to-date 3-story bungalow of 8 rooms, 6 downstairs, 3 upstairs; weathered oak finish. Clinker brick mantle; lot 50x100. (E-267)

ATHENS STREET COTTAGE

\$5250—5 rooms, bath, paneled walls, mission oak finish, 1 mantle; laundry; modern, up-to-date little home within walking distance of 14th and Broadway; lot 25x35. (E-316)

MYRTLE ST., BET. 20TH AND 21ST.

\$4800—A modern, up-to-date 5-room cottage with high basement; an exceptional good buy for someone wanting a nice cottage home; lot 30x100. (E-289)

LEIGHTON PLACE

\$3750—A 5-room bungalow, paneled walls, weathered oak finish, large open fireplace, on the sunny side of the street, and within 2 1/2 blocks of Piedmont Station; lot 30x105. (E-317)

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BELOW IS A LIST OF SOME EXCEPTIONAL GOOD BUYS IN LOTS

\$8000 for a 100 feet on 14th by 64 ft. on Linden; an ideal place to build flats or apartments.

\$40 PER FT.—Lot 62x125 on Vernon st., bet. 14th and 15th; this is the very best part of Linda Vista, and \$10 to \$20 cheaper than anything around it. (E-248)

\$1200—Lot 40x125, on Jane st., bet. Santa Clara and Santa Rosa, an exceptionally good lot for a nice home. (E-310)

\$1400—Fine corner on 28th and Filbert; 1 lots in all, 52x125; good for business or residences. (No. 243)

\$1050—33rd st., bet. Market and West, 51 1/2 ft.; fine residence lot. (E-283)

\$2250—Sunny side of Chicago ave., near Watson ave., 50x125; exceptionally fine residence lot. (No. 234)

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1236 BROADWAY, OAKLAND, CAL.

\$850

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\$2500

A good 6-room cottage in West Oakland, plenty of sun; lot 30x130; good buy. No. 421

\$4500

We have a good 8-room house on Union st. near 12th, lot 35x125. This could be easily converted into flats, location is fine.

\$4750

This will buy a set of flats of 812 rooms each on 16th st., west of Market. They are not new but good and pay big on the investment.

\$5500

A fine new modern home, 7 rooms and bath, 3 nice balconies, billiard room, fine brick mantle, electricity; closest residence section of Oakland, 6 minutes to business center and best car service. It is a nobby Spanish design and a beauty.

\$6750

A large 12-room house on 18th st. near West. This is a good buy; the house is worth the price asked. Land values in this vicinity are rapidly advancing; act quick. No. 426

\$7000

A splendid Chinatown bargain consisting of one store and 12 rooms. Have an offer of \$40 per month. This is the best income property in Oakland today.

\$7500

This buys a fine modern set of flats within one and a half blocks from Broadway and Key Route Depot—income \$7250 per month. Has large lot, plenty of sun, and good property.

\$10,000

It will afford us pleasure to show this modern, up-to-date 2-story bungalow. It is situated on a fine corner, 5 feet frontage, and within 6 minutes' ride from 12th and Broadway. The living room is large, paneled, beam ceiling, stone marble, billiardroom is almost as large. Bedrooms, hot and cold water in each; butler's pantry, 2 sinks, 2 verandas with large roof-garden. It is impossible to sell you in this and the nice things about this house.

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\$75 Cash, \$7 Monthly

Rough 4-room house; lot 37x100; sewer, street work done; fenced; near local train and 2 electric cars; city water, and price \$300.

\$200 Cash, \$8 Monthly

Nice little cottage, 4 rooms; lot 30x100; with fruit trees, berries, etc.; shed, fenced; 2 sides, city water, sewer; gas, beautiful location, 3 minutes to 2 electric cars; price \$150.

\$400 Cash, \$10 Monthly

Cottage 4 rooms, good well water, some fruit trees with extra large lot 30x100; about 4 blocks to electric cars; nice, stately property; price \$150.

\$250 Cash

Near cottage 5 rooms, bath; barn, sewer, street work done; 1 block from cars; lot 25x125; mortgage on this (can be paid off); \$250; location: electric lights, etc.; price \$250.

\$1000 Cash, \$10 Monthly

Beautiful home, 6 rooms, bath, 4 bay-windows; lot 100x250, covered with vegetation and fruit trees, furnished, elegant home; price \$550.

\$800 Cash, \$10 Monthly

New 6-room cottage, bath, furnished, electric lights, gas; lot 30x125; near schools and cars; price \$350.

Cheap Lots

\$150 Cash, \$5 Monthly

Lot 30x11, street work all done, sewer, electric cars pass the property, 5 minutes to local train; price \$150.

\$250 Cash, \$5 Monthly

Very large lot 100x250; not quite level, fine view; price \$150.

\$100 Cash, \$5 Monthly

Lot 30x12, fronting on 30 ft street; all sewer, some fruit trees; price \$150.

\$250 Cash, \$5 Monthly

New home lot between 2-story houses; no better location; all street work complete; lot 30x125; price \$150.

Come and see my new tract just opened up. This is my 14th tract, it is on the corner of 14th and 15th streets, fronting on 14th street, covered with full bearing fruit trees, including Apples, Apricots, Peaches, Plums, Cherries, Walnuts, Citrus, Gooseberries, and every kind of fruit tree. The house on the place has 10 rooms, 1000 sq. ft. lot 40x150, to \$250. On your own home any place at same rates. Come and see first choice lot or send for circular.

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Snap 1-room cottage, new and modern, 37x100, only \$1200 cash and 100 ft. front, on East 21st, near two car lines.

\$7000—

Plms, new and modern 3 and 4 rooms; rents \$10 per month, on 38th st. near Telegraph ave.

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\$81,000—One block from Broadway, lot 35x125, four story building will lease for 5 years, \$500 per month.

\$5500—29th near Telegraph, 8 rooms, high basement, lot 15x100.

\$5000—15th st. near Market, Cottage of six rooms and bath, rents for \$10, barn that rents for \$10.

\$5000—Nearly new 2-story house, six rooms and bath; minute from Key Route; rented for \$10 per month.

\$6000—Wobster st. near 29th; 2-story house of nine rooms, lot 45x100.

\$2500—Meridme st., east of Telegraph, lot 35x125, 5-story house; 8 rooms and bath, barn.

\$19,000—Plats, 5 and 8 rooms, and a six room cottage, splendid location, Glenwood and 8th sts.

\$2500—Two stories; store downstairs; lot 25x125, rents for \$15 per month; south side of st., near Center.

\$5000—North side of 11th st. near Brush; lot 25x100; 2-story house; nine rooms and bath. This is a snap.

\$1000—West side of 5th st., near F, 17th lot 35x125; 2-story house, 8 rooms and bath.

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\$4750—New 7-room house near the above. Half cash.

\$4800—New 6-room house, modern and complete, lot 40x130, near California, half cash.

\$2650—5-room cottage on Francisco street, Lot 40x25, \$350 cash. Cottage new and modern.

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2147 CENTER STREET

Berkeley, California

\$1500—Pretty, little 1-room cottage with bath, pantry, laundry, etc.; lot 16x125, street work done; close to school, church and stores. Terms: \$500 cash, balance \$20 per month.

\$2500—Cottage of 5 rooms, bath, 70x125, street sewered; close to laundry, electric lighting, lot 16x125, street work done; close to school, church and stores. Terms: \$500 cash, balance \$20 per month.

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POPULAR NEWS AGENT WOULD BE POUNDMASTER



JOHN MULVEY,
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Well-Known Jack Mulvey Is Promised Hearty Support of a Host of Friends.

Jack Mulvey who is well known as the news agent on the broad gauge trains for the past twelve years is a candidate for the position of poundmaster. The office is a gut of the Council.

Mulvey is a native of this city and has been a continuous resident since

time of his birth thirty-two years ago. Although crippled physically he is a bright and active man. He is well acquainted and well liked by every one. His fitness for the office he seeks is beyond question and if elected to it he will fulfill his duties honestly and satisfactorily. Mulvey has a host of influential friends who are favoring his candidacy.

ARRANGE FOR BIG PROGRAM

St. Patrick's Day Celebration
to Be Held in
Auditorium

St. Patrick's Day celebration will be held in the big auditorium adjoining St. Patrick's church, West Tenth street, between Paralta and Campbell streets, on Saturday evening, March 16 at 8 o'clock. It will be a pleasing entertainment. The following program has been arranged:

FIRST PART
Music Irish air Orchestra
Opening address J. P. Mullins
Song (in the old Gaelic) The Yearling of the Green John W. Dunn
(Sacred Heart College, San Francisco)
Dance The Catchy Thing
(Pupil of Miss Hilma Butler) Ruth Burnham
Song (Pupil of Miss Hilma Butler) Margarette Grau
(Pupil of Miss Hilma Butler)
Recitation, "They Traded the Baby" (Sacred Heart College, San Francisco) Francis Derham
PART TWO
Music Patriotic Orchestra
Selection vocal quartet The Meeting of the Waters Glee Club
(Sacred Heart College, San Francisco)
Music, lovely melody Mrs. Adams
Lord Clares Dragoons
Recitation, "The Madman and the Razor" (Sacred Heart College, San Francisco) Thomas J. McCarthy
Oration "Nothing too Good for the Irish" Father McNulty
PART THREE
Music Irish air Orchestra
Dance Fancy Fly Gladys Gerish
(Pupil of Miss Butler)
Vocal solo, "Come Again" Laydon
(Sacred Heart College, San Francisco)
"Who Feels to Speak of 93?"
"Paddy's Evermore" Professor S. J. Sandy
God Save Ireland! Professor S. J. Sandy
Oakland salutes Ireland Ireland a nation once again The national home for the genius of the Irish people
Music parting salute from West Oakland Branch of Triumph up the Hill of Tara to crown old Granuaile with the shamrock woven crown of Ireland's freedom
PART FOUR
Special selection to be put in here and there in the program through the kindness of our friend St. Mary's College.
Overture Irish air St. Mary's College Orchestra
Interlude College Gema St. Mary's College Orchestra
March, West Oakland St. Mary's College Orchestra
Baritone solo Harry Kruse
Recitation W. J. O'Connor
Sketch L. Ciundell W. O'Connor
Sunday March 17 will be celebrated in prayer and pious exercises in St. Patrick's church. The church services will begin with high mass and procession of the most blessed sacrament and in the same way on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Confessions early in the afternoon of Saturday, also Sunday and Monday evenings.

A STRAIGHT TIP.
Advertisers all remind us
We, too, can become quite rich,
And departing leave behind us
Automobiles yachts and 'sich
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Found at Last
J. A. Harmon of Lismore West Va. says "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me, and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation will take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at Osgood Bros., druggists, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

ANNEXATION IS SUBJECT

Mayor Mott Delivers Stirring
Address On Important
Topic.

A meeting of the Central Annexation club was held last evening in Red Men's Hall. Mayor Frank K. Mott in an address called especial attention to the fact that the annexation project was merely the initial step towards the division of Alameda county and the organization of a powerful consolidated administration. He also stated that all of the districts would enjoy better police and fire protection that they would become one city and county and thus reduce the expenses of the administration of public affairs to a minimum. The voting on the annexation project will take place tomorrow.

WEALTHY FARMER IS FOUND DEAD IN BED

BLOOMINGTON Ill. March 13.—L. H. Kernick 60 years of age one of the wealthiest farmers of Illinois and an extensive cattle raiser was found dead in bed this morning. Heart disease was the cause. He was yesterday elected president of the board of trustees of the Illinois University.

YOUNG ROOSEVELT IS NOW CONVALESCING

WASHINGTON March 13.—It was stated at the White House this morning that Archie Roosevelt had a good night and that he is making steady progress toward recovery.

LABORERS IMPORTED TO BREAK STRIKE

HAMBURG March 13.—About 1500 of the English longshoremen imported to take the places of the locked-out canal longshoremen who have refused to work upon the ship-owners terms are at work today and more are on their way here from London. In addition gangs of longshoremen have been brought here from Antwerp.

BIGGER THE SMALLER THE CRIME
The Munich law of old times had many oddities but none so queer as that to make the greater the crime the less, the value of the property stolen. The narrow limits of the law of Munich that the bigger the thief should be successful if he stole a small amount of property so ran the law. It is no felony for the offender cannot hide them, but if he steal a cup or a pig he shall be hanged.

TEA
Did you ever hear of a nervous Englishman? They drink more tea than we do, six to one.
A. Schilling & Co. San Francisco

RELEASE MEN FROM CUSTODY

Constable Says Suspect Is Not
One of Wanted Assassins.

At the request of Constable Lane Joseph Oliver the San Francisco contractor who was arrested last Sunday and held in the county jail on suspicion that he was connected with the Shellmound Park robbery was released from custody yesterday afternoon. The officer states that Oliver is not one of the assassins of Milton Sichel, who was beaten, robbed and thrown into the creek running through the picnic grounds.

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CORRESPONDS WITH SENATE

Taft's Coming Visit to Islands
Arouses Comment On
New Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Secretary Taft's proposed visit to the Philippines in September to attend the opening of the first Philippine assembly has directed attention toward the new legislative body to be created for the islands. The assembly will consist of sixty-one members apportioned upon the basis of one delegate for each 5000 persons and provision is made to increase the number to a total of 100. It will in a general way correspond to the American House of Representatives while the Philippine commission will correspond to the United States senate and the acts of the assembly must secure the approval of the commission before they become laws.

Elections are to be held on July 30. Secretary Taft will start for the islands in August and the first assembly will convene in September. Subsequent elections for the assembly are to be held upon the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November in odd numbered years the delegates to hold office for two years. The election law of the Philippines requires that voters must be males twenty-three years old citizens of the Philippines. The Australian ballot system is to be used and heavy penalties are prescribed for corrupt practices.

OFF WITH THE OLD LOVE
That old maxim that 'it is well to be off with the old love before you are on with the new' should be borne in mind by all honeymooners. Let the dead love afflict bury itself. To revive such old loves, either during courtship or marriage is a great mistake. Many a girl thinks a man values her more if she can show a large number of scalps in the form of rejected lovers. But there are many men who do not like the remembrance of old love affairs.

ENFORCED SOBRIETY
One who is supposed to know says it takes a very energetic man to stay drunk in Munich. I T. The authorities say that 90 per cent of the time is required in looking for a drink and that it becomes necessary to lay aside all other cares.

Always avoid harsh purgative pills. They first make you sick and then leave you constipated. Carter's Little Liver Pills regulate the bowels and make you well. Dose one pill.

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China ware, Dry Goods, Brassware and Drawnwork at Greatly Reduced Prices. Sale will last but a few days

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BIG SHOWING FOR OAKLAND

California Promotion Committee
Bulletins Building Record in
New York City.

At a meeting of the Merchants' Exchange last night a communication was read from the California Promotion committee calling attention to the following statement appearing on their bulletin board at the ferry depot in San Francisco and which will also be shown on their bulletins in New York City. The statement was as follows: "For several months past the building permits of the city of Oakland have represented the average outlay of over \$2,000,000 a week. It is conceded that the actual outlay exceeds these figures."

Chairman Jones, of the Annexation Committee, reported that everything was progressing nicely in Fruitvale and there was no doubt but that the annexation proposition would be carried. Secretary Walker reported for the legislative committee talking of the work which had been done in Sacramento by that committee for bills which concerned this district. Warren P. Williams of 469 Ninth street was admitted to membership. The meeting then adjourned until next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

ANNUAL RECEPTION AT DEWEY HOTEL

The "Class of 1908" gave its annual banquet and reception to the Class of 1907 last Friday evening, March 8. The hall was tastefully decorated in the school colors red and white. The following program was rendered:

Opening remarks Mr. Hammol
Tableau The Country Cousins
Piano solo Edna Legoria
Dialogue "A Slight Misunderstanding" Vocal solo Mrs. Hammol
Dialogue The Gossips
Piano solo Mr. Schautler
Song "Sweet Bunch of Daisies" Dialogue Auntie "Izzled" Tableaux Two Flower Girls
Remarks Mrs. Hanna
Remarks Mr. Reimnitz
After the exercises the guests teachers and pupils enjoyed the banquet, the only regret being the absence of our trustee.

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